

Old Man Winter Strikes Dixon Area



The Dixon area and northern Illinois were blasted yesterday with one of the worst blizzards of many years when high winds accompanied a snowfall reported to be five and one-half inches. Traffic throughout the Dixon business district became snarled as motorists were helpless in negotiating hills. Numerous minor accidents were reported as a result of automobiles sliding into each other.

The view above was taken at the height of the storm (3:30 p. m.), from the roof of the Dixon National Bank building—looking south on Galena avenue. One stalled car can be seen in the center of the street in the near foreground, while another has slid against the curb at the corner of Second street and Galena avenue.

Worst Blizzard in Recent Years Hits Dixonland Tuesday

Five- and One-Half Inch Snowfall Accompanied by Strong Winds

BULLETIN
A traffic-crippling blizzard from the frigid midwest swept in to eastern United States today, covering the northeast with heavy snow and depositing snow and freezing rain from southern New Jersey to Atlanta.

Three deaths were reported in Illinois and one in Indiana as the severest cold wave of the season chilled the midwest.

Mayor F. H. LaGuardia of New York City reported a "critical" coal shortage in that city.

Dixon and northern Illinois were hit by one of the worst blizzards of years Tuesday, when five and one-half inches of snow, whipped by high winds, fell.

The state highway department at noon today reported that all state routes in this district were open to two-way traffic, many of the maintenance crews operating plows having worked throughout the night. Some drifting was reported today but plow crews were continuing to keep the roads open throughout the district.

The county highway system was more seriously affected. At the office of County Superintendent of Highways Fred Leake it was reported that many roads were blocked, while an effort was being made to open the most important roads to accommodate school buses and milk haulers. The poor condition of equipment because of the inability to obtain replacement parts, was said to present a serious condition. In the event of a prolonged heavy snow fall, it was stated, the Lee county highway system would become snow bound.

Rural mail carriers were delayed in making their deliveries from the Dixon postoffice it was reported at noon, but none of the carriers had reported being unable to complete deliveries.

MANY ROADS CLOSED

Springfield, Ill., Feb. 11.—(AP)—Mid-state and northern Illinois were blanketed today under a heavy snowfall reaching its greatest depth at Rantoul, where ten inches were recorded, and many roads in the storm area either blocked or open to one-way traffic.

The state highway division reported impassable Rt. 150 near Farmer City and Rt. 42A near the Great Lakes naval training station.

Northwest area roads generally were subject to one-way driving, a highway division spokesman said.

Meteorologist E. W. Holcomb reported six inches of snow at Springfield, eight at Peoria, five at Moline and one at Quincy.

STORM MOVES EASTWARD

By The Associated Press
A heavy, wind-whipped snow storm struck the northeastern part of the United States today while in a wide section of the already snow-blanketed midwest the season's most severe cold wave temperatures far below

THE WAR TODAY

By DEWITT MACKENZIE

The fierce struggle for the Anzio-Nettuno beachhead, south of Rome, looks as though it might become one of the sensational battles of the war—and a bloody one.

It isn't great in the sense that it can be decisive, whichever side wins. Its importance lies in no small degree in its moral effect.

The enemy's violent attempt to annihilate the Anglo-American force in the big beachhead is part and parcel of the delaying, psychological war which Hitler is waging in an effort to gain time. He hopes by this to get some lucky break.

We see the same thing on a monumental scale in the Dnieper bend on the Russian front. There the nazi all highest has long been risking half a million men in a fantastically dangerous holding

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Operation

Rochester, Minn., Feb. 11.—(AP)—An unusual operation performed by a Mayo Clinic surgeon for removal of a "parasite twin" today had restored a 12-year-old Winnipeg, Canada, boy to normal life.

The operation was performed last October by Dr. Henry W. Meyerding on Ernie Defort who had been born with a partial Siamese twin attached to his body at his lower chest and upper abdomen.

In an operation lasting more than two hours, Dr. Meyerding disclosed he removed the twin body and within "three or four weeks" Ernie was back home in Winnipeg, ready to re-enter school. Today he is active in athletics, well up in his studies and living as a normal boy, the doctor said.

Dr. Meyerding said the partial body of the twin had well developed pelvis bones, hip joints and legs but the abdomen, chest, arms and hands had failed to grow normally.

Barkley's Pants Theme of Spirited Exchange in Session of U. S. Senate

Washington, Feb. 11.—(AP)—Senate galleries yawned as they heard at what age Majority Leader Barkley (Ky.) first donned long trousers were left in the dark today.

The answer was left hanging after an exchange of repartee with Senator McKellar (D-Tenn.) although the latter's age—75—was made a part of the official record.

It all started during spirited debate yesterday over the appointment of conferees to represent the senate in an attempt to work out a compromise service men's vote bill with a committee from the house.

Barkley argued for one group, McKellar for another and the parliamentary situation was exploded at length.

"Of course," said McKellar, with a trace of sarcasm, "the senator from Kentucky has been here longer than I have."

"Why," replied Barkley, smiling, "the senator from Tennessee

Charlie Chaplin is Indicted as Alleged Mann Act Violator

Film Star Also Accused of Conspiracy; Six Others Indicted

Los Angeles, Feb. 11.—(AP)—Slight, white-haired, dapper Charlie Chaplin, who as the lovable little tramp comedian used to play with deft fingers on a world's heartstrings in the realm of film mimicry, faced today the stern reality of a federal indictment charging him with Mann Act violation.

The 54-year-old, four-times married comedian was accused of the additional felony of conspiracy as a federal grand jury late yesterday concluded a long inquiry into his relationships with red-haired Joan Berry, 23, Chaplin's former protegee who asserts Chaplin is the father of her 4-

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Telephone Threats Laid to Boy of 16

New York, Feb. 11.—(AP)—A 16-year-old Bronx messenger boy, who the FBI said was enacting the role of a Gestapo chieftain and saboteur in telephone threats to destroy New York's bridges and tunnels, was in the custody of police and federal agents today.

Although the FBI declined to identify the boy, police booked him on a malicious mischief charge as James Gerrity. His calls to the FBI resulted this week in a heavily augmented guard on vulnerable structures in the metropolitan area.

FBI agents said the telephone voice identified the caller by a variety of titles—one of them being "Lieut. Commander Walter von Krueger"—and went into great detail on his qualifications

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Anzio Situation Is Serious 24 Killed in Plane Crash

American Transport Is Victim

Crashes Into Mississippi River Afire Near Memphis

Memphis, Feb. 11.—(AP)—Twenty-four persons lost their lives when an American Airlines transcontinental plane crashed into the Mississippi river last midnight.

U. S. Army Engineers started raising sections of the giant plane shortly before noon today but lifting of the section carrying the passengers was delayed until arrival of heavier salvage equipment.

The Engineers recovered one wing, parts of the fuselage, a luggage door, several seat cushions and a mail bag.

There was no indication whether bodies would be found in the passenger compartment.

An earlier cryptic radio message from patrol boats to headquarters here said merely "piece of plane found". Later contact

Worst

Memphis, Feb. 11.—(AP)—Loss of 24 lives in the American Airlines plane crash last midnight would be the heaviest toll in the history of the transcontinental company's service.

The worst previous accident—when 17 persons were killed—was Jan. 14, 1936 near Goodwin, Ark., which is about 40 airline miles from the place where today's search is under way.

with the boat said it "definitely" was part of the plane.

The Coast Guard and U. S. Army Engineers were conducting the search in a 22-foot channel 15 miles below Memphis where an employee of the Engineers said he saw the ship crash and explode.

Hits Water, Sinks

The Engineers sent a barge with a crane to the scene and hoped to raise the plane and bring it to Memphis before removing any bodies.

Several crewmen with the U. S. Engineers reported hearing the plane flying low overhead and one said he saw it hit the water and sink seconds after being enveloped in flames.

"There was a terrific explosion and fire," said Charles Williams, watchman for an Engineer's crew. "It seemed to sink immediately."

When Williams and Foreman W. R. Wellborn reached the scene by boat, they found no trace of the big plane, which was en route from Los Angeles to New York.

Williams said the plane was on its course for the Memphis airport where it was due at 11:38 p. m. (CWT).

Crew Members Named

In New York, the airline said the three members of the crew were:

Capt. Dale B. Francis, 39, Fort Worth, Tex., with the company since March, 1936, and with 13,000 flying hours to his credit.

First Officer Ray R. Majors, 26, Fort Worth, native of Springfield,

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All-Woman Jury Finds Two Guilty of Murder

Chicago, Feb. 11.—(AP)—Edward Damiani, 28, and Alvin Krause, 29, faced life imprisonment today, the penalty fixed by an all-woman jury which convicted them yesterday in Criminal court of murdering Miss Agnes Olsen, 53, currency exchange cashier, by poison gas used in a holdup last July 3.

It was the first all-woman jury qualified in Cook county to impose the death penalty, asked by the state, but the 12 women eventually decided the extreme penalty was too severe for the crime.

Judge Harold G. Ward set Feb. 23 for hearing on new trial motions. The same date was set for hearing on two other cases.

Krause is charged with murdering Walter Busch in another currency exchange robbery last June 25. Krause and Damiani are charged with robbing a third currency exchange.

Lee Co. War Bond Sales 67 Pct. of Mark; 4 Days Left

With only four days remaining in the Fourth War Loan drive, Ribert L. Bracken, chairman of Lee County War Finance Committee, today reported that sales of war bonds have reached only 67 per cent of the county's \$2,183,000 quota. Purchases of bonds by individuals totaling \$876,252 and purchases by corporations amounting to \$594,000 make up the total results to date of \$1,470,252, Bracken said.

The indications are, Bracken said, that the lag of \$712,748 in reaching the county's quota is largely up to Dixon to make up. Most of the townships outside of Dixon are approaching their quotas or have exceeded them, he said. Alto township, with a quota of \$32,456, reported today sales of \$40,633.

The drive in Dixon to reach a quota of \$490,000 in individual purchases has been moving on two fronts. A campaign for extra war bond purchases by employees of industrial and commercial concerns is well under way. Reynolds Wire Company's 700 employees were reported today to have subscribed \$34,500, and at the Green River ordinance plant, where approximately 25 per cent of the employees are residents of Dixon, it was announced that a quota of \$200,000 in extra war bond purchases has been exceeded.

State Leader Confident

Subscriptions from the 500 business and professional men in the city has been undertaken by the organization of the "Five-by-Five Club" which announced today that its membership drive is about 60 per cent complete with a 100 per cent sign-up of pledges by those contacted.

The following telegram was received today by Bracken from Harold H. Swift, state chairman of the drive: "I am confident that Illinois in this Fourth War Loan will be among leading states in the nation as in the past in reaching its overall quota of nearly one billion dollars, but the true measure of our success will be wide-spread distribution of bonds to individual buyers."

New Passenger Cars in Ration Pool Less Than 50,000 Says OPA

Washington, Feb. 11.—(AP)—Most of the new passenger cars remaining in the ration pool—estimated at less than 50,000—will have been released to eligible buyers by July 1.

The Office of Price Administration, reporting this today, said that meanwhile monthly quotas will become smaller and eligibility requirements will be tightened.

OPA said that from an inventory of cars purchased from dealers by the Reconstruction Finance Corporation, the government will acquire a special reserve of about 10,000 cars. These will be held for "particularly essential home front needs" and rationed under a highly selective system by OPA.

Seven Soldiers Die in Triple Collision

Burnet, Tex., Feb. 11.—(AP)—Seven Camp Hood soldiers were killed and five seriously hurt in the collision of two trucks and a bus near here early today.

The men were returning to camp from Burnet where they had presented a war bond program and were riding in an Army truck and bus, which collided with a heavy truck carrying oil field equipment.

The Weather

FRIDAY, FEB. 11, 1944

Chicago and Vicinity: Clearing, with a cold wave tonight, and temperature dropping to zero to 5 below Saturday morning. Saturday fair and continued cold. High Saturday 15. Wind slowly diminishing.

Illinois: Clear with a cold wave tonight. Saturday fair and continued cold. Diminishing winds. Lowest temperature ranging from zero to 10 below north and 5 to 10 above extreme south portion Saturday.

LOCAL WEATHER

For the 24 hours ending at 6:30 p. m. (Central War Time) Thursday—maximum temperature 32; minimum 22; cloudy; precipitation .42 (5 1/2 inches of snow); total for February to date .42 inches; total for year to date 1.47 inches.

Huon Peninsula of New Guinea Wholly Occupied by Allies

Gen. MacArthur Announces Subjugation of Island Position

By MORRIS LANDSBERG

Associated Press War Editor
The Japanese faced a further breakdown of vital southern defenses today while American naval and air squadrons hacked away at the enemy's severed line of island bases in the Central Pacific.

Nipponese forces, once dominant in all of the Bismarck archipelago, suffered a decisive defeat when Australian and American troops joined hands below Saidor, New Guinea, to complete occupation of the jungle-covered Huon peninsula.

Successful conclusion of the five-months long campaign not only gave the allies control of an additional 150 miles of New Guinea's northeastern coastline, but, General MacArthur said in his announcement today, the offensive cost the Japanese the bulk of approximately 14,000 men.

The Australians who swept up the Huon peninsula and the U. S. troops which met 10 miles south of the American beachhead at Saidor now command positions from which to strike at enemy bases in the Madang sector. Madang itself has been reported abandoned by the Japanese, and allied planes have turned their attacks on nearby Alexishafen.

Worst Yet to Come

Aerial blows fell anew on Rabaul, keystone of the enemy's southwest defense system guarding the approaches to the Philippines. It was the ninth raid in 11 days, but a naval spokesman at Gen. MacArthur's headquarters declared the worst is yet to come. The enemy lost 640 planes at Rabaul between Dec. 17, 1943, and Feb. 8 against 130 for the allies, a compilation by South Pacific headquarters showed.

The Navy disclosed the 12th raid of the war against Wake island Tuesday in continuing assaults on enemy holdings in the Central Pacific. Navy Coronado bombers hit the former U. S. base which is 620 miles northeast of

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Nazis Slaughtered on Soviet Steppes

BULLETIN

London, Feb. 11.—(AP)—Marshal Premier Joseph Stalin today announced the capture of the rail junction of Shepetovka, 45 miles southeast of Rovno and 27 miles east of the old Polish frontier.

Moscow, Feb. 11.—(AP)—The Red army's seven spearheads thrusting against the steadily diminishing circle of death around nazi forces in the Dnieper bend were hacking German-held salients to pieces today and relentlessly cutting down all who refused to surrender.

Red Star, soviet army organ, said the Germans were being slaughtered like sheep on the open steppes and declared the entire garrisons of the villages of Yakhnov and Myled had been exterminated as two Russian columns iso-

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Japanese Diplomatic Red Tape Keeps Supplies from Reaching U. S. Prisoners

Washington, Feb. 11.—(AP)—Relief supplies intended for American prisoners of war are piling up in Russia, stalled at the threshold of Japan by the diplomatic red tape Tokyo has used to prevent their delivery.

This was disclosed by Senator Thomas (D-Utah) today coincident with the formation of a National Federated Bataan Relief organization to "obtain relief for all our armed forces who are held as Japanese prisoners of war, their release as quickly as possible, and their safe delivery home."

Dr. V. H. Spensley of Albuquerque, N. M., chosen national chairman by the 60 delegates who formed the organization to coordinate the activities of 37 smaller groups, said this includes prisoners taken at Wake, Guam and

Congratulations



"Neither rain nor snow nor sleet nor cold will keep us from making our appointed calls"—so reads the motto of Dixon Evening Telegraph carrier-soldiers, who yesterday, in spite of one of the fiercest blizzards of recent years maintained close to 100% deliveries throughout Lee, Ogle, and Bureau counties.

Carrier salesmen in Dixon set an enviable record when the entire city circulation of 3300 was delivered without one complaint being recorded at the office—although delivery was late in many cases.

Jimmy Wadsworth, carrier-soldier No. 34, was snapped in the above photo as he struggled away from 910 N. Dixon avenue. It will be noted that his sack is dragging in the snow as he starts toward his next customer's home.

Senate May Vote on Subsidies Ban Before Evening

(By The Associated Press)

Washington, Feb. 11.—The congressional drive to end food subsidies today ran up against a proposal that the Little Steel formula be relaxed so that every wage earner's income could be raised an additional 3 per cent to com-

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RATION CALENDAR

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(By The Associated Press)
Meats, fish, etc.—Book 3 brown stamps V, W, and X valid through Feb. 26.

Processed foods—Book 4 green stamps G, H, and J good through Feb. 20th; K, L, and M valid Feb. 1 through March 20.

Sugar—Book 4 stamp 39 good for five pounds through March 31; stamp 40 valid for five pounds for home canning through Feb. 28, 1945.

Shoes—Book 1 stamp 18 and book 3 "airplane" stamp 1 good indefinitely.

Gasoline—10-A coupons good for 3 gallons through March 21. B and B-1 and C and C-1 coupons good for two gallons; B-2 and C-2 coupons good for five gallons. Fuel oil—Period 2 coupons valid through Feb. 8 and continue good through Sept. 30. All coupons worth 10 gallons a unit, with most coupons worth several units each.

Rain Aids Germans In Attack

Robs Allies of Their Most Potent Force for Defense

Allied Headquarters, Algiers, Feb. 11.—(AP)—German armored units, taking advantage of rains and clouds which robbed the British and Americans of their most potent defense, their air force, were reported striking with deadly probing skill into the northern flank of the Anzio bridgehead today.

In an action which in itself indicated the seriousness of the situation which had developed on the front below Rome, the allied command yesterday concentrated virtually every combat plane in the Mediterranean theater, including Flying Fortresses and Liberators, into a furious defense of the beachhead front.

But by this afternoon the rains had cancelled out much of this air support and a dispatch from the area by Kenneth L. Dixon, Associated Press correspondent said the Germans took prompt advantage of the freer hand given them by the conditions.

(In Washington President Roosevelt said a very tense situation prevailed and that the allies were praying for good weather to aid sea and air operations.)

Allies Besieged

The powerful force which less than three weeks ago seized a wedge of coast and thrust a surprise spearhead into the German flank had become besieged ringed by superior numbers and holding an open coastal plain with the aid of hundreds of massed guns.

"These guns trained to fire in 'timed blasts' with devastating and almost instantaneous effect on given targets were credited in correspondents' dispatches with having arrested the German attacks at least one point but the Germans were exploiting their growing numbers and now had at least five full divisions and a brigade in line to throw into an all-out assault.

There was no confirmation here, however, of the German high command's claim that Carroccio (Aprilia), 10 miles north of Anzio, already had been entered by the nazis.

The latest information here was that the allies still were fighting north of that place.

Breakthrough Prevented

The failure of the bridgehead force to drive farther into the German's flank at the early stages of the landing was mainly due to the stubborn resistance of the Germans along the main Fifth Army front at Cassino.

There the Germans had prevented the big breakthrough which could have led to a junction of the two allied forces.

Americans, still fighting bitterly in the ruins of Cassino on the main Fifth Army front, captured five more buildings. Their artillery leveled the town prison which had been turned into a nazi fort, but the Germans still fought tooth and nail from the underground dungeons and cellars.

Countless tons of bombs smashed down on the Germans at all points ringing the bridgehead and their main operating points about Rome. As heavy bombers were diverted from long range targets to join medium and fighter-bombers in furious slaps protecting the American and British

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Oslo Says Britain is Now Using Rocket Gun

London, Feb. 11.—(AP)—The German-controlled Oslo radio asserted today that the British now are using rocket guns to defend London against aerial attack.

In a broadcast purporting to describe the effect of German air raids on the British capital, the broadcast said:

"The searchlight lane from Dover to the target and the ceaseless fires from new British rocket guns is a terrifying spectacle to all who have taken part in it."

(This is the first mention of employment of rocket guns by the British in defense of London. Mention of the guns in dispatches from London, however, might well have been forbidden by censorship.)

News of the Churches

ELDENA-KINGDOM CHURCHES

Rev. Wendell Freshley, pastor
Sunday, Feb. 13:
9:30 a. m. Morning worship service at Kingdom.
10:00 a. m. Sunday school at Eldena.
10:30 a. m. Sunday school at Kingdom.
11:00 a. m. Morning worship at Eldena.
3:00 p. m. Workers' conference at Eldena.
7:00 p. m. Eldena Youth fellowship.

GEMS OF THOUGHT

Spiritual Things
Human things must be known to be loved; but divine things must be loved to be known.—Pascal.

Once loved deeply, all truths are so beautiful that they ravish us beyond ourselves, and the first rapture of life is to point them out to others. Nor does the rapture die, but grows in the using.—Stopford A. Brooke.

Do not think that nothing is happening because you do not see yourself grow or hear the whirr of machinery. All great things grow noiselessly.—Drummond.

When we are willing to help and to be helped, divine aid is near.—Mary Baker Eddy.

The highest attainment, as well as enjoyment of the spiritual life, is to be able at all times and in all things to say, "Thy will be done."—Tryon Edwards.

Trust in God for great things. With your five leaves and two fishes He will show you a way to feed thousands.—Horace Bushnell.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST

321 West Second street
Regular Sunday morning service at 11 a. m. Subject, "Soul."
Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Children to the age of 20 are welcome. Wednesday evening testimonial meeting at 8 p. m.
The reading room is open each weekday from 2 to 4 p. m., except on holidays.

ST. ANNE'S CATHOLIC CHURCH

Corner North Dixon avenue and East Morgan street
Rev. Ronald L. French
Sunday mass at 8 and 10:30 a. m.
Social evening every Thursday at 8:00 in the hall.

ST. PAUL'S EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH

Lloyd Warren Walter, D.D., pastor
Sexagesima Sunday
9:30 a. m. Bible school, Walter E. White, supt.
10:45 a. m. Regular divine worship.
Week day appointments:
Wednesday, 7:30 p. m. The senior Luther League, Richard Brown is to have charge of the meeting.
Saturday, 1:30, Catechetical class meets with the pastor.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN

B. B. Cartwright, Jr., pastor
9:30, Church school. Classes for all ages, R. M. Ferguson, supt.
10:45, Morning worship. Visitors are invited to attend this service.
Prelude, Clair de Lune—Bonnet.
Anthem (Junior Choir), O. Lord, Most Merciful.
Sermon, "Greatness in God and Man."
Anthem (Senior Choir), "For Thine Is the Greatness."
Offertory—"Cantabile in F Major," (Guilmant).
Postlude—Battiste.
We will have as our guests Boy Scout Troop 89 and the Air Scout Squadron.
A nursery is provided for the children of those parents who

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SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

Transfiguration Vision of Disciples Is an Experience We All Can Have

Text: Mark 9:2-8, 17-27

BY WILLIAM E. GILROY, D. D.
Jesus was on the mountain with three of His disciples, Peter, James and John. And on the mountain occurred that remarkable event that we call the Transfiguration.

Instead of the Master, whom they saw from day to day in dust-stained garments and with feet and sandals inevitably covered with dust, they saw a Christ, all clothed in glistening white garments; and with Him appeared other figures whom they identified with Moses and Elijah, talking with their Master.

They were overcome by the vision, but Peter, even in his fear, was ready with his suggestion. It was naturally a suggestion of worship. Let us make three tabernacles, he said, one for the Master, one for Moses, and one for Elijah. He knew not what he said, but his suggestion was in line with the error of those who often mistake some form of emotion or of emotional worship, for Christian communion and Christian service.

Better was the suggestion that came from a voice out of the overshadowing cloud, "This is my beloved Son; hear ye Him."
That is the essence of true worship—to listen to the voice of Jesus; and His command is to do what He commands us to do.

The mountain was not a place for tabernacles or service. Down in the valley were sin-sick and stricken souls who needed help. Here were the sick and the needy, and the weak and fallen.

attend the morning worship.
6:00, United Youth Fellowship at the Episcopal church.

Announcements for week:
Monday, 7:30, Air Scouts at the church.

Wednesday, 7:15, Senior choir practice.

Thursday, 8:00, Women's Association meeting at the church.

Saturday, 1:00, Junior choir practice; 2:00, the pastor's Communion class.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Dr. J. H. Hughes, pastor
John Russell is the general superintendent of the Bible school which meets at 9:45.
We have worship with preaching at 10:45 and at 4:30. The pastor will speak at both hours. Mrs. Hughes will be at the organ and the vested choir will sing. Young people's meeting at 5:30.

Mid-week service Wednesday evening at 7:30. Dr. Hughes will speak.

SAINT LUKE'S CHURCH (Episcopal)

Peoria Avenue and Third street
Rev. Joseph C. Mason, rector
SEXAGESIMA SUNDAY
8:00 a. m.—Holy communion.
9:30 a. m.—Church school worship and instruction.

10:45 a. m.—Choral morning prayer and sermon by the rector.
6:00 p. m.—United youth fellowship at St. Luke's parish hall.

Wednesday, 10:00 a. m.—Holy communion in the chapel, with special intercessions for those with the armed forces. 5:00 p. m.—Junior choir rehearsal.

Thursday, 7:30 p. m.—Senior choir rehearsal.

Friday, 2:30 p. m.—Saint Agnes Guild meets in the parish hall. Mrs. Joseph C. Mason will give a talk on "The Charms of Hawaii."

THE ALLIANCE TABERNACLE

Fifth street and Ottawa avenue
W. J. Martz, pastor.
9:30 a. m.—Bible school.

10:45 a. m.—Morning worship.
6:30 p. m.—Young people's fellowship.

7:30 p. m.—Evangelistic service.

Sunday is Missionary Day. The four services of the day will be turned over to the Rev. Elmore Eicher, missionary to India under the Christian & Missionary Alliance. The Rev. Eicher will return to the United States and therefore comes with a wealth of information from one of the great modern mission fields of the world. Rev. Eicher will be illustrating his message Sun-

who needed a helping hand. The vision disappeared, and the three were left with the Master whom they knew, and as they knew Him, He led them back down the mountain.
But the three disciples who came down the mountain were not the same as those who went up. They had had an unforgettable experience which was to keep them strong and steady in the dark days ahead. There would be times when they would have reason to remember that the earthly Jesus whom they knew over whom the shadow of the Cross was falling, was the same Christ whom they had seen transfigured on the mountain top.

Don't imagine that the mountain top experiences, even when one is away from one's fellowmen, and away from the paths of service, are unimportant. There are times when faith needs quickening and strengthening; there are times when hearts grow faint, when one needs to come near to God, or when one needs to see one's fellowmen in some transfigured way. It is so easy to lose faith.

The vision from the mountain too gives new horizons.

The valley, too, is not the same when it is seen from the mountain top. It is a new valley to which one descends.

So, then, we need in life both the mountain and the valley. It is possible for us all to have experiences of transfiguration. Let us cherish such moments, even when we descend to the valley. The memory of them will sustain and uphold.

day evening with pictures of missionary activity in India.

Wednesday evening, February 16th, at 7:45 o'clock the first in a series of special Gospel services will begin. The meetings will be held each evening, Saturday excepted, until February 27th.

Superintendent, the Rev. Cecil R. Thomas will be present. Rev. Thomas comes with a rich background of ministry as an evangelist, Bible teacher, and pastor.

BETHEL UNITED EVANGELICAL CHURCH
Cor. N. Galena and Morgan sts.

N. J. Broadway, pastor
9:45 a. m., Bible school.

10:45 a. m., Morning worship. Rev. F. Fink.

6:45 p. m., Young People's Fellowship.

7:45 p. m., Revelation. The Church of the Persecuted.

Wednesday, prayer meeting 7:30.

The third of a series of sermons on the Book of Revelations will be given Sunday night.

CHURCH OF GOD

West Morgan street
Alan McLain, pastor

9:45 a. m., Sunday school.
6:00 p. m., Adult Bible class.

6:30 p. m., Sunday Bible class.
7:30 p. m., Tuesday, Young People's Bible class.

The Adult Bible class will meet at the home of Mrs. F. Zbinden at 6 p. m. Sunday. The lesson will be the first fifteen verses of Matthew the 6th chapter. After the lesson there will be a scramble supper.

The Young People's Bible class will have their meeting at the home of Miss Lois Selgestad Tuesday evening.

The message the pastor will present next Sunday morning is "The Personality of Jesus."

THE GOSPEL MISSION (Assembly of God)
Evangelist Eastman will bring his farewell message this evening.

Rev. W. L. Morris arrived in Dixon last Wednesday to be present at the closing services of Evangelist Eastman and to continue ministering at the Gospel Mission over this week end.

Rev. Morris has a road experience in the ministry. At one time he was the youngest licensed minister with the Methodist church in the United States.

There will be services at the Gospel Mission this Saturday night with Rev. Morris speaking. Sunday school, 9:45. Lesson subject, "A Paralytic Healed." Class study Luke 5:17-26. A class for everyone.

Christ Ambassador service 6:45 with Mrs. Howard Utz, the newly elected president, in charge.

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FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

Second street at Peoria avenue
Floyd L. Blewfield, D. D., pastor
Services for Sunday, Feb. 13:
9:45 a. m., the church school.

10:45 a. m., the church service with Bishop J. Ralph Magee of Des Moines, Iowa as the guest speaker. This is Bishop Magee's first visit to the Dixon Methodist church.

The special music for this service will include the following organ and chorus numbers:

Organ prelude, "Meditation" (Bubeck), Crawford Thomas.
Anthem, "The Radiant Morn Hath Passed Away" (Woodward), Senior choir.

Organ offertory, "Idylle" (Bedell), Mr. Thomas.

Anthem, "Bless This House" (Brahe), Treble Clef choir.

Organ postlude, "Toccata" (Bach).

As usual a nursery for small children will be conducted during this period for the convenience of parents desiring to attend the church service. Mrs. Randall Warfel will be in charge this week.

2:00 p. m., Special Treble Clef choir rehearsal at the church under the direction of Miss Marie Worley.

6:00 p. m., United Youth meeting at the St. Luke's Episcopal church beginning with a fellowship lunch (bring your own sandwiches) followed by a devotional service and discussion group.

Events for next week:
Beebe Men's Bible class will hold its monthly business and social meeting next Tuesday evening at the home of Earl Slagle, 112 Crawford avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Hardy will entertain the True Blue class in the church basement on Tuesday, February 15, at 7:30 p. m. There will be an election of officers and a program.

The Women's Society of Christian Service will hold a general meeting and social tea at the church on Thursday, February 17, beginning at 2:00 p. m. The work of the society in various mission schools will be presented through the impersonating of native students in costume.

GRACE EVANGELICAL CHURCH

North Ottawa and East Fellows
Geo. D. Nielsen, minister

Sunday, Feb. 13th:
9:45 a. m., Sunday school service. Pius Burgard, superintendent.

10:45 a. m., Service of divine worship. Sermon by the Rev. Willis Plapp, pastor of the Polo Evangelical church. R. F. Krahler will preside. The senior choir will sing "Withhold Not Thy Mercies" by Fred E. Holton. The young ladies' choir will also sing. (The Mission Band meets this morning.)

6:45 p. m., Intermediate League and choir, directed by Miss Virginia Worman.

7:00 p. m., Young People's League. Leader, Glen Reigle.

7:45 p. m., Gospel service of sermon and song. Rev. Wendell Freshley, pastor of the Eldena and Kingdom churches, will be the special speaker.

Wednesday, 6:45 p. m., Young ladies' choir rehearsal; 7:30 p. m., prayer service, two groups; 8:30 p. m., Senior choir rehearsal.

Thursday, 7:30 p. m., Mothers' Council monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. Charles F. Nix, 115 West Everett. Mrs. Dewain Dyer, co-hostess; 7:30 p. m., Rock River Youth Union Area meeting at the Dixon church. Sixteen churches are represented in this service.

On pre-Lenten Sunday, Feb. 20, the pastor will bring two messages: "The Lenten Call—Sacrifice and Song" (Chron. 29); "Clouds and Darkness and the Morning Star" (Isa. 5:30; Rev. 22:16).

Grace church will hold an Ash Wednesday service on Feb. 23rd, 7:30 p. m. with the pastor bringing a message entitled "What Does It Mean to Be a Christian Now?" Special music will also be presented.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Hennepin and Second
Albert I. Martin, minister

Services of the Lord's Day open with the church school at 9:30.

The worship service begins at 10:30. Organ numbers by Miss Lois Fellows. The Junior choir will sing "Holy Bells," and there will be a duet by Mrs. Estherbel McClennan and Miss Savilla Palmer.

"The Utility of the Lord's Supper" will be the pastor's sermon theme.

"My Neighbor—the Negro" will be the study topic for the Youth Fellowship at 6:00.

The church school workers' conference will be held Tuesday evening.

All-day meeting of the Ladies' Aid Wednesday. Choir rehearsal at 7:15.

The Progressive class will have a business and social meeting Thursday evening.

Mothers' club meeting Friday

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Garden Club

Mrs. Guy Borop was hostess to the Garden club on Monday afternoon with twelve members present. Mrs. Niles Borop was a club guest. President, Mrs. Lester Watkins had charge of the regular order of business. Roll call was answered with, "Plants I Have Grown in Water." L. E. Weinreich was guest speaker of the afternoon, using as his topic, "Chemistry in the Garden." Delicious refreshments were served.

American Legion Auxiliary

The American Legion Auxiliary met on Monday evening at the home of Mrs. P. R. Dinslake with eight members present. The president, Mrs. Dorothy Shearburn conducted the regular order of business. Plans were made to send a girl to Girls' State this summer.

D. G. B. G. Club

Mrs. Earl McMurray was hostess to the D. G. B. G. club on Monday afternoon. A delicious pot-luck luncheon was enjoyed at 1 o'clock. During the afternoon three tables of bridge were at play. High score prize was awarded to Mrs. George Short and second high to Mrs. Burke Livey. Mrs. Ira Merchant was a club guest. A gift from the club was presented to Mrs. Glen Wahl who is soon to leave.

Bridge Party

Mrs. Otto Yonk was hostess to her bridge club on Tuesday afternoon with two tables at play. High score prize was awarded to Mrs. Earl McMurray and second high to Mrs. Gertrude Casey. Mrs. Gertrude Casey and Mrs. Harold Stone were club guests. Club will meet with Mrs. P. R. Dinslake in two weeks. Dainty lunch was served.

Couples Club

Mr. and Mrs. George Short were hosts to their club on Tuesday evening. Three tables of bridge were at play. Couples' high score prize was awarded to Mr. and Mrs. Roy Atherton. Refreshments were served.

Couples Club

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Bangston were hosts to their couples club on Tuesday evening with four tables of bridge at play. Couples' high score prize was awarded to Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Dremman and couples' low score prize to Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Utts. Club guests were, Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Larson, Mr. and Mrs. George Schrader and Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Utts. The club will meet in two weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Myron Holland. Delicious refreshments were served.

W. R. C. Meet

Brewer Woman's Relief Corps No. 288 met Tuesday afternoon in W. R. C. hall with twenty-one present. The meeting opened with officers incoming March. Regular order of business was conducted by the new president, Mrs. Jennie Wallis. National general orders were read. The president invited all members to her home Feb. 18 for a scramble dinner and a day of sewing carpet rags for veterans in hospitals. Memorial services were held for Tilia Woodford, department treasurer, of Freeport. Patriotic instructor, Mrs. Ruth Hopkins had charge of program.

Article, "Ballad of the Lincoln Penny," by Mrs. Mark Wright.

Story, "Lincoln, Illinois," Mrs. Hazel Willavize.

Article, "Viva for Jorge Washington," by Mrs. Gertrude Whittey.

Poem, "What Can I Do," Mrs. Everett Larson.

Poems, "The Land Where Hate Should Die," Mrs. Maggie Kruse.

The meeting closed in regular form. Lunch was served by Maggie Kruse, Lorene Wright, Jennie Wallis and Dorothy Mae Warling.

Locals
Mrs. Bob Dutton of Sioux City, Ia., is visiting at home of her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Whittey. Mrs. Dutton will be remembered as Betty Glessman.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl McMurray left Wednesday morning for Minneapolis, Minn., for a week's visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Whittey received an invitation to launch a destroyer, Waikiki, at Boston Navy Yards. Their son, Ensign John Whittey will be one of the official staff.

Gordon Norden of Chicago spent Tuesday night with his mother, Mrs. Alice Norden.

Junior choir rehearsal Saturday at 3:00 p. m.

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With a goal of 20 minutes to distribute his 70 Telegraphs each evening, Donald Love continues to make friends on city route No. 33 here in Dixon.

Don, the son of Mr. and Mrs. William Love, 420 West 9th street, is the third member of his family to have worked on carrier salesmen routes with this newspaper. Preceding him were Tom and Kenneth—the former now being in the armed forces, located at Norfolk, Va. He also has a brother, William, in the armed forces—stationed in England.

Don attends St. Mary's, where he is in the 7th grade. His favorite school subjects are spelling and history, and his favorite sport is swimming.

His route begins in the 500 block on East 2nd street—then he continues through 700 and 800 on Second—also carrying the 100 blocks on Artesian and Noble avenues. He then covers the 800 block on Park street—300 on Steel—800 and 700 on Third street and he ends up in the 200 block on Artesian avenue.



His phone number is M-885.

Leaves from an AP War Correspondent's Notebook

BY HAL BOYLE

On the Rapido River Front, Jan. 30—(Delayed)—(AP)—A German "hide and seek" game is one of the most annoying obstacles to American Fifth Army forces surrounding the Cassino corridor.

"It is an attack gun which is hidden in a mountain shelter," explained Major Kermit Hansen, former announcer for radio station KOWH at Omaha.

"The Germans bring it out and fire down highway 6 leading to Cassino. After whipping across a few rounds to discourage traffic they get the gun back in its reinforced garage before our artillery can locate and destroy it. It will take a ton of dynamite to blow it out of its hiding place."

It is amazing to see how little impact the war has on Italian children, even in areas under heavy shelling where many families cling stubbornly to their homes and refuse to leave.

I watched seven small children playing in a muddy yard today, only a few hundred yards from a battlefield where men were hunting, killing and capturing each other with the latest type equipment.

"The small boys and girls, none

over six years old, gave no attention to the booming artillery or the staccato chatter of machine guns. They had three cardboard ration boxes which they pretended were boats and they were taking turns riding on an imaginary ocean.

German infantrymen hold the American tanks in mortal terror because they were taught the blitz fury of warfare, which holds up the panzers as all but invincible.

Imagine then the consternation of one machine-gunner when he looked out the aperture of his bunker and saw an American tank only six yards away. He knew that the tank had only to sling a 75mm gun around a few inches to blow him into kingdom come. There was nothing he could do.

Luckily for him, the tank commander didn't know there was a pillbox within gun range until he climbed out of his vehicle and accidentally discovered the enemy emplacement by stumbling and falling through the aperture.

The Jerry gunner was only glad to give up.

"If you only knew what I had been through," he sighed.

Seek to Popularize Himmler as Hitler's Successor in Germany

New York, Feb. 10—(AP)—A Nazi home front publicity campaign to popularize Gestapo Chief Heinrich Himmler as a possible successor to Adolf Hitler was reported today by the Office of War Information.

One Person Out of Every 41 in Nation on Federal Payroll

Attorney General Geo. F. Barrett Attacks New Deal System

Peoria —(Special)— "One person out of every forty-one living in the United States is on the civilian payroll of the New Deal", declared Attorney General George F. Barrett here last evening.

Addressing a large Republican meeting as one of the members of the Republican caravan of candidates who are making a pre-primary tour of the state, Barrett said:

"According to the latest reports coming from Washington, the New Deal civilian payroll is now in excess of 3,300,000 employees, which is more than one for every three men in the armed forces of our nation at the present time."

"During 1942", Barrett added, "an average of 99,166 persons were added to the federal payroll each month, or 4,000 for each working day in the year."

Barrett said that these astounding figures will be found in "Bureaucracy Runs Amuck", a book recently published by Lawrence Sullivan, veteran Washington news analyst and student of the growth of bureaucracy in America.

Continuing, Barrett said: "The New Dealers in Washington, according to these figures, put so many people on the civilian payrolls of the federal government in 1942 that they employed an average of 110 new workers every hour twenty-four hours a day, seven days a week."

Hard To Keep Busy

"Sullivan further says in his book, 'On top of their established local governments, do the American people need a federal monitor for every forty-one citizens? Apparently not, for many government employees sometimes have difficulty keeping busy."

"Surveying Washington's overmanned bureaus, the Civil Service Commission reported in August, 1942: 'Thousands of federal employees are working below their highest skills. Thousands more are using their highest skills for a very small percentage of the working day.' But since that report was published, more than 600,000 men and women have been added to the bureau rolls."

Barrett further told his audience: "Senator Harry F. Byrd of TsonAi 69t-Virginia, chairman of the Joint Committee on Reduction of Non-essential Federal Expenditures, states that only forty-five per cent of the civilian employees of the New Deal are engaged directly in work connected with the war effort."

Paints Fair Picture

"Few people have any idea of the immensity of the civilian payroll of the Washington New Deal. For example, the group now employed on the civilian payroll of the New Deal is larger than the total number of people gainfully employed in the state of Illinois. If you can picture every employed person in Illinois—every tradesman, clerk, bookkeeper, housemaid, truck driver and industrial craftsman dropping his employment and tools and taking up a federal assignment under the New Deal, you have a fair picture of the size of the present New Deal payroll."

Continuing, the attorney General said:

"Measuring the New Deal civilian payroll made up of more than 3,300,000 persons another way, you can readily see how it compares with the 1,700,000 employed in the entire iron and steel industry of the United States, the 600,000 employed in lumbering, the 1,800,000 employed in the manufacture of machinery and machine tools, including electrical machinery; and the 2,000,000 who are engaged in the construction of ships. It is estimated that only about 2,000,000 people in the entire nation are engaged in the manufacture of airplanes to be used in every theater of war in the world."

Springfield Division of I. C. Ry. Wins Trophy

Clinton, Ill., Feb. 11—(AP)— J. L. Beven, Illinois Central Railroad president, at a dinner Tuesday night will present the President's Trophy to the Springfield division for the best 1943 safety record of the 12 divisions in the system.

The Springfield bureau reported only 27 injuries for 1943, a ratio of 4.89 per 1,000,000 man hours. The Illinois division, with Chicago headquarters, was second with a 5.08 ratio, and the Chicago Terminal division third with 5.56. The system's average was 7.53.

ROMAN AQUEDUCT IN USE

An old Roman aqueduct built over the River Gard, France, 2000 years ago is in such good condition that it is now being used as a bridge for automobile traffic.

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Marine Throws Flame to Destroy Jap Building on Namur



Literally scorching the earth during the Marshal Islands invasion, Marine Corp. Elmer R. Burkhalter, Buhl, Idaho, destroys with a flame thrower a Jap building on Namur. Flame throwers were used most effectively against the enemy on Kwajalein atoll. Note the dead Jap in the foreground.

Income Taxes

DEDUCTIONS FOR CASUALTY LOSSES AND THEFTS

Losses arising from fires, storms, shipwrecks, or other casualty, or from theft, are allowable deductions from income, in computing Federal normal tax and surtax (but not in computing victory tax). Thus, if a taxpayer's home is destroyed by fire or damaged by flood or storm, or his automobile is wrecked or if his property is stolen, he may claim a deduction for the loss sustained, provided of course, that he is not compensated for it by insurance or otherwise.

The amount of such loss, if incurred in connection with a trade or business, is entered in Schedule C(2) to arrive at the net profit (or loss) shown in item 8 of the return Form 1040. Other losses are entered as item 24 of "Deductions" in return Form 1040, and must be explained in Schedule G of the return form. On short Form 1040 A, no deduction for losses should be entered because the tax table on this form already allows the benefit of an average amount for such deductions.

The intent of the law regarding deductions for casualties, generally, is to allow for losses caused by natural forces. Such losses may be either of a personal or a business nature. However, to be an allowable deduction, the loss must not arise from the willful act or negligence of the taxpayer. For instance, damage sustained by a car by collision or accident is a deductible loss, unless the damage is due to a willful act or negligence on the part of the taxpayer. Faulty driving would not be classified as negligence, but driving while intoxicated would be so regarded.

Likewise, in the case of claims for loss of property by theft or burglary it must be established that the property actually was stolen, and not merely mislaid or lost.

In the case of insured property, the amount of recovery through insurance must be taken into account in determining the amount of net loss, if any. The amount of loss allowable in the case of property damaged or destroyed is frequently difficult of determination. A general rule is that the loss is measured by the difference in the value of the property immediately before and immediately after the casualty. The loss on a wrecked car would be the difference between its market value just before the accident and the salvage value after the accident. In the case of trees or ornamental shrubbery destroyed by a sheet or snow storm, the measure of the loss is the loss in the value of the property of which they were a part, that is, the reduction in the value of the property arising from the casualty. This may or may not be the same as the value of the particular trees or shrubs destroyed.

Also, in determining the amount of loss, sentimental values are excluded, for the reason that such values cannot be measured. Losses claimed must, in general, be related to market value of the property affected by the casualty. Losses claimed for the destruction, damage or theft of family portraits, heirlooms, or keepsakes, must be based upon loss of intrinsic value apart from the sentimental value. A further rule regarding deductions for losses from casualties and thefts is that such losses are deductible only in the year in which they are sustained even though they may not be discovered until a later year. A deduction for loss from casualty or theft may be allowed



Lifting tons and tons of ammunition sounds like a mighty "weighty" task. But it's all in the day's work for Katherine Smith of Rock Falls (left) and Virginia Heaton of Sterling, whose war job at Green River Ordnance Plant is to lift these projectiles from a tray onto a caulked press and off again.

"It's the only job for me," declares Katherine. "She took the words right out of my mouth," insists Virginia. "I never ask a quota from these girls that they don't meet," adds Supt. W. G. Manning. Katherine rounded out her first year of service at Green River Ordnance Plant January 12, the day this picture was taken. She's backing up two brothers in uniform—Corp. Ralph Smith, who saw combat service in Tunisia and Sicily and is now in England, and Corp. Clarence Smith, who is stationed with a tank destroyer unit at Camp Swift, Texas.

Virginia Heaton has been a war worker at GROF since October, 1942, and is a Safety Committeeman.

only to the owner of the property with respect to which the loss is sustained.

In computing the victory tax net income, only those losses are deductible which are incurred either (1) in a trade or business, or (2) in the production or collection of income, or (3) in the management, conservation, or maintenance of property held for the production of taxable income. However, losses from the sale or exchange of capital assets are not deductible, since gains from such assets are not includible in victory tax gross income. Deductible losses should be reported in Schedule C(2). Losses for wagering transactions are allowable only to the extent of gains from such transactions.

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Surgical Patient

Mrs. Floyd Jones submitted to an appendectomy Wednesday morning at Katherine Shaw Bethesda Hospital in Dixon.

Birthday Surprise

When Mrs. John Sauer arrived home Wednesday afternoon from work she was surprised to be greeted by a party of twelve ladies who had been invited to the Sauer home by her mother, Mrs. Emanuel Satterfield of Mt. Morris in celebration of the birthday anniversary of Mrs. Sauer.

Have New Daughter

A daughter was born Wednesday night to Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Claussen, the fourth girl in the Claussen family.

Receives Assignment

Lieut. Harry F. Wade recently inducted into military service going to Dallas, Texas, was assigned from there to Camp J. T. Robinson, Little Rock, Ark., on the staff of the dental clinic.

Bought Property

Walter J. Forman, residing near Mount Morris has purchased the Glyndon Haas residence property on West Jefferson street and will take possession in the near future. The Fred Stulls who are now occupying the residence will move to the lower apartment of the Allen house on South Fourth street.

Overseas

Lester "Bud" Tremble, Ph. M., U. S. Navy, has been assigned for service overseas, according to word received by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Tremble.

Attended Convention

Judge Leon A. Zick was in Chicago to attend a state convention of circuit judges held at the Sherman Hotel Friday and Saturday.

Suffered Heart Attack

Mrs. H. B. Spoor is receiving treatment at Rockford Memorial hospital following a heart attack Friday.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Kiest of Northbrook, Mr. and Mrs. Dwight L. Kiest of Chicago and Mr. and Mrs. Edward De Lories of Bensenville were visitors Sunday of their father, C. B. Kiest and brother, R. L. Kiest and family. Mrs. C. W. Taylor entertained twenty guests Friday night at a party and pre-nuptial shower for

Miss Louise Haselton of Rochelle. Mr. and Mrs. Carl Anderson visited relatives in Batavia Monday and brought home his mother Mrs. C. E. Anderson who had been a visitor there for a week.

Mr. and Mrs. William Fisher had as dinner guests Sunday her brother, Frank Wilson, Mrs. Wilson and daughter, Judy, of Rockford.

Mrs. Bernice Arnold was in Chicago to spend the week end with her son, Attorney Arnold and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Koontz had as dinner guests Sunday her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Thole of Franklin Grove and their daughters, Dorothy of Chicago and Alfreida of Rockford.

Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Mackay and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Doty at Pecatonica, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Connell visited his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. William Connell at Dixon, Sunday.

John A. Rhoads, manager of the Oregon Lumber company is attending the Illinois Lumber and Material Dealers' association meeting at the Sherman hotel in Chicago this week.

Mrs. Robert Farrell, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Anderson and son Jimmy of Evanston were week end visitors at the Ray Farrell home and were entertained at dinner Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Francis Wilde celebrating the birthdays of Ray Farrell and Frank Anderson, Mrs. Anderson is the former Jean Farrell.

Mrs. A. G. Knapp entertained guests Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. M. Farrell for the house guests of Mrs. G. D. Thibault, Mrs. Roland B. Miller and Mrs. Hallet Whelan of Whiting, Ind.

Pfe. William Hooks returned to Ft. Sheridan Thursday after a few days at home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Hooks. Miss Janet Way of Champaign who was a visitor at the Hooks returned home, Thursday.

On Leave

T-5 Charles Koontz, United States medical corps at San Antonio, Texas, and wife arrived here to spend his furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Koontz.

At Mayo Clinic

Willis Smith went to Rochester, Minn., Monday to enter the Mayo clinic for observation.

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Bricker Leaves No Doubt on Position on Some Big Issues

Washington, Feb. 11.—(AP)—Big, smiling John W. Bricker, who is governor of Ohio and wants to be president, took a curtain cue for the third act today of what his friends were frankly billing as a critical Washington preview of the man they think can win the Republican nomination.

Given an unofficial once-over by the Capital news corps at a packed press conference and the applause and cheers of a Republican crowd at a Lincoln Birthday banquet last night, Bricker today faced another curious-minded group at a National Press Club luncheon.

Confident he was passing muster, Bricker supporters already were congratulating themselves on having put on a good show for the third-term governor. They made plans to send him off next month on a trip to the west coast where a potential rival, Wendell L. Willkie, is the current political attraction.

Bricker left no doubt where he stands on some of the big issues of the day in his banquet talk and at his press conference. He struck out at labor unrest, advocating wartime anti-strike laws and dismissing the national service act proposal endorsed by President Roosevelt as "no answer to this problem at this late date."

"The time has come," he declared, "to support the millions of workers who want to work and quit coddling selfish labor leaders for the sake of the votes which they say they can deliver in an election."

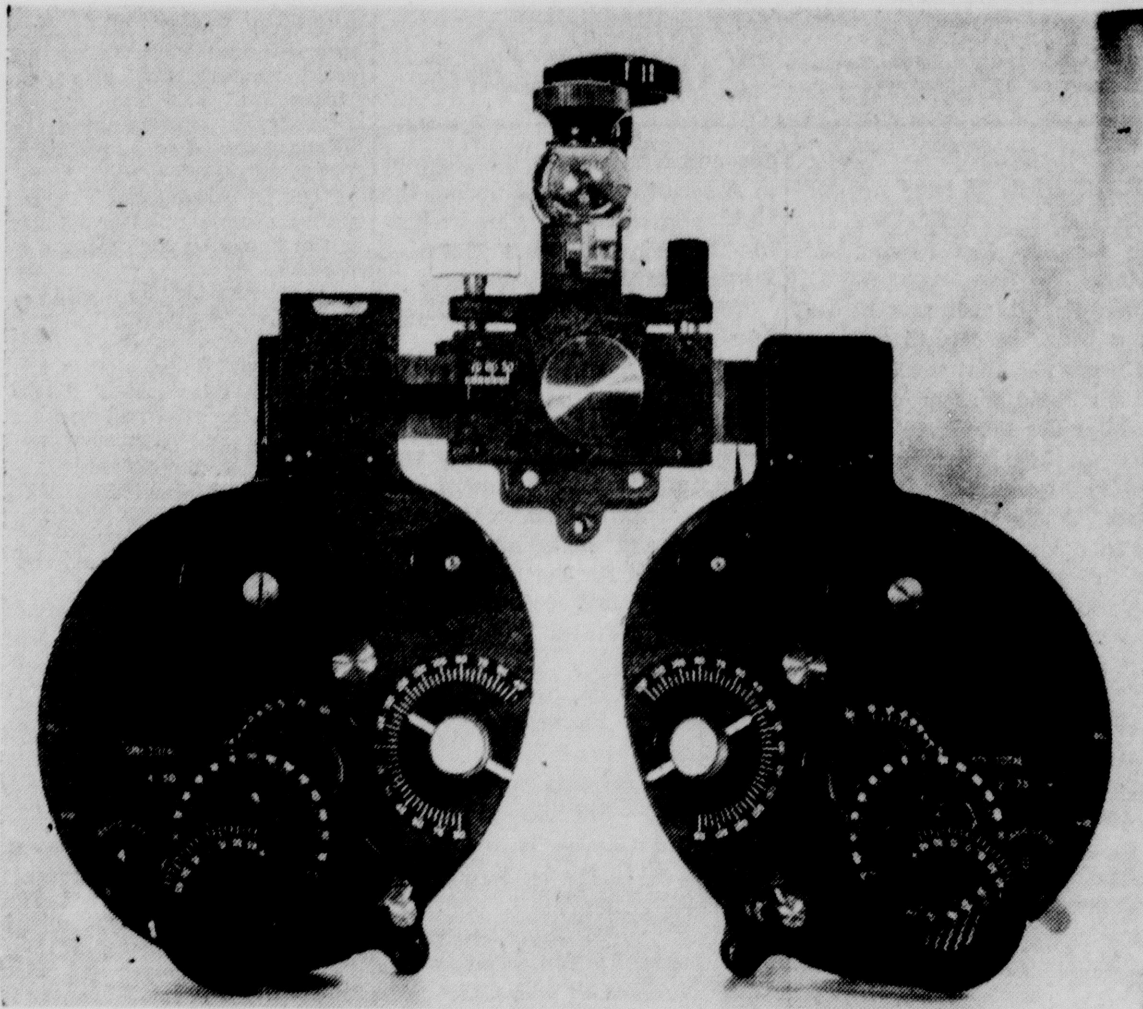
He chided the Democrats for having "only one candidate" —presumably Roosevelt—and voiced resentment that they should attempt to appropriate a "Win the War" slogan as their own for the campaign.

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More than 1,600,000 Boy Scouts, Cubs and their adult volunteer leaders will observe Boy Scout Week, Feb. 8 to 14, marking the 34th anniversary of the founding of Scouting in the United States. Since 1910, more than 11,400,000 American boys and men have agreed that—"It's Great to be a Scout!"

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A Thought for Today

But the word of God grew and multiplied.—Acts 12:24.

A single word often betrays a great design.—Racine.

From Tripoli to Ennunnigellap

For years the Marines have proudly sung of their far-flung and exotic fields of action—from the Halls of Montezuma to the Shores of Tripoli. But to the men of the 4th Marine Division now in the Pacific, those foreign fields celebrated in the Marine hymn must seem pretty close to home base.

Today these Marines are fighting in and around Meck and Omeleck, Bigi and Boggerik, Ennunnigellap and Ennunnemet and Ennunnigellap, along with the Army and Navy. They are fighting in what, to most of us, is an undreamed part of the world.

They are engaged in an action which, for all the unpronounceable aspects of the locale, may one day make the Marshall Islands as important in our history as, say, Bunker Hill or New Orleans.

The Marshalls consist of two groups of atolls, lined up much for scenery. Vegetation is sparse, and the maximum elevation is 33 feet. The few domestic animals that can exist there had to be imported. The last pre-war census gave the islands a population of 9568 natives, 433 Japanese and 10 "foreigners."

But these bleak and barren toeholds were the scene of the most powerful, concentrated and coordinated attack by sea, land, and air forces yet seen. With the landing on Kwajalein atoll, the Americans pulled themselves up over the equator and into pre-war Japanese territory. They brought themselves up to the latitude of the great Jap base at Truk, and within striking distance of Wake Island.

There will probably be long and bitter fighting in the Marshalls. But it is unlikely that the battle will be as long as the struggle for Guadalcanal or as bitter as the costly assault on Tarawa. And the prize is a base almost exactly half-way on the road from Pearl Harbor to Tokyo.

The strategy of island-hopping has been criticized bitterly, and with the landing in the Marshalls, it begins to make sense even for the layman.

Let the People Decide

Without taking the trouble to resort to democratic processes, the government of Russia has quietly annexed five new "republics" and has so announced to the world.

One wonders whether the Churchill-Roosevelt restrictions on freedom were undertaken with foreknowledge that Russia was going to grab territory as result of this war—for certainly the four freedoms are a restriction on freedom. Freedom of speech and religion, and freedom from want and fear are not full freedom; they do not constitute the

right of small nations to determine what form of government they shall have.

The so-called Atlantic charter was supposed to be a rallying standard for freedom-loving people in their operations against the fascist principle—and that agreement was signed by Stalin for Russia. But now Russia calmly announces that the Karelo-Finnish area taken from Finland in the winter war which Roosevelt condemned; a part of Rumania, and Estonia, Latvia and Lithuania are henceforth to be considered as part of the soviet union, and no doubt Russia intends to hold about half of Poland.

Good faith could be shown if it were possible for the peoples of the territories being annexed to hold free and secret elections to express what form of government they are to have—whether it is to be democratic, royalist, communist or whatever else they might have in mind. Certainly, in view of the present war, they would not wish to choose fascism.

Hardly any other procedure will be satisfactory to the world at large. For if Russia takes over these countries before giving them an opportunity to state their preferences prior to the liquidation of anti-communist democrats, the world will have a bad taste in its mouth.

Horse Sense

As a sedative to numb the fear of public debt, the people have been told that no harm could result from the debt because the people merely owed it to themselves.

Harold G. Moulton, head of the Brookings Institution, has knocked the "owe it to yourself" theory into a cocked hat in a booklet entitled, "The New Philosophy of Public Debt." He shows that those who pay taxes to support the debt are not identical with those who receive the interest on the debt or the Government bounties which the debt makes possible.

While the people may owe the public debt to themselves, the man who is taxed to pay interest on the debt will soon find that the tax collector will take his shirt if he does not pay his taxes, to pay interest on a debt which he "owes to himself."

Mr. Moulton blasts the idea that public debt can go on growing forever without doing any harm. His remarks shoot close to financial and economic advisers of the New Deal administration.

He makes it brutally clear that deficit spending and boundless public debt lead either to totalitarianism or to debt repudiation, and that without "a stable system of public finance . . . in the United States, and also in other countries, the foundation stone for international reconstruction will rest on quicksand."

Mr. Moulton's analysis is just plain horse sense, which most everybody understood until they were hypnotized by the suggestion that prosperity could be brought about by priming the pump continuously with public funds.

"Only a man in jail can enjoy the four freedoms. He can pay all he wants, talk all day, and get three meals a day, and his worst enemy can't get at him. Surely this is the final freedom—freedom from freedom!"—Frederick C. Crawford.

Applesauce goes up a few points—but there's still no point to the Washington brand.

Some bosses seem to think that uncomfortable chairs will get a lot of work done.

News Behind the News
By PAUL MALLON

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Washington—Mr. Wallace, the V. P., divulged no secret when he said he thought Mr. Roosevelt intended running for the fourth term.

In truth, the president has been trotting a trial heat here the past few weeks. By his actions, Roosevelt has let all his associates know his intentions.

His conduct of the Democratic national committee meeting particularly informed all his party associates in and out of congress in unmistakable terms that he expects to head their ticket again. The re-action has been mixed.

To a considerable extent, his forwardness has lessened criticism of him and his policies by wayward Democratic congressmen. The southern bloc has been pushed into the position of accepting the inevitable or openly breaking. Only one so far, Senator "Cotton Ed" Smith, of South Carolina, has stuck openly to his critical guns.

Some still talk of running Senator Byrd as the opposition candidate in the south. Organizations working for his candidacy exist in several southern states.

But the great majority seems prepared to swallow silently the Roosevelt pill, and organize a real fight on the vice presidency. They are determined to prevent the nomination of Wallace or any north new dealing man.

They have not, however, settled upon a man of their own. While Speaker Rayburn is most frequently mentioned in public, many would prefer a more out-spoken southern opposition man like Byrd.

Who Roosevelt wants, no one knows. Wallace obviously is waiting nervously for an invitation. Some high Democratic gossip however, suggests the president might even choose a Republican running mate (Willkie) in order to strengthen his candidacy.

Final choice, no doubt, will be made on the basis of what man will contribute most to the ticket politically.

Thus the trial heat has somewhat watered down to the president's opposition within the party, but all the old coals still burn underneath, it has had little effect on the Republicans who are extremely confident they will win more than those states now having Republican governors (26).

The Truman committee quietly called in James Landis, the president's lend-lease commissioner in the Near East, who stomped back to Washington unannounced, complaining the British were circumventing him at every lend-lease turn. None of the testimony will be made public, and Landis will not resign.

Apparently, he got the action he wanted here. At least, he told the senators he would take back to Cairo an enlarged staff of experts who would enable him to meet better the shrew business and diplomatic competition of the British authorities.

Praises for bravery are being heaped upon Willkie for daring to demand \$16,000,000 more taxes—but not by tax-makers. Willkie denounced the president for having failed to submit a program to raise half that amount, but he himself failed to mention a single additional way of raising the money.

The federal tax bill now is \$43,000,000,000, state and local, \$11,000,000,000. The national income is running around \$153,000,000,000. Theoretically, it is therefore possible to take \$16,000,000,000 more, as the country now has two-thirds of what it earns left to live on.

But it would require something like a 40 per cent withholding tax, meaning that the man earning \$50 a week would get only \$30. A sales tax or an excess profits tax on individuals (farmers who went to shipyards) would not raise anything like the Willkie amount. Any award, therefore, must await a declaration from Willkie as to how he would get the money because that is the main problem.

I have heard of neighborhood prattlers—not in my neighborhood however—spreading drive against bond buying on the ground that there will be inflation.

Maybe there will be a limited amount of price inflation, or, at least, continuation of the inflation we have experienced in this war. Everyone knows that. But these bonds are being bought not only by 60,000,000 people, but by every large corporation and investor in the country.

The wise financial brains fully realize the possibilities of inflation. But they also know that a bond is the same as money, will always have the same value as money. They know the whole financial structure of the country is now wrapped up in those bonds.

As long as there is an ounce of authority in government or big influence in large financial quar-

(To Be Concluded)

They'll Do It Every Time



By Jimmy Hatlo



This soldier is sighting a rifle equipped for firing rifle grenades—one of Green River Ordnance Plant's deadliest weapons of World War II. Our daring fighters frequently are able to save their own and their buddies' lives with these grenades, which have a way of ending all argument. Hedy Logan of Dixon, a "100 per cent inspector", demonstrates (upper insert), how complete shipping boxes of Green River Ordnance Plant's rifle grenades are stenciled. Thelma (Herron) McIntyre, also of Dixon, (lower inset) is seen placing a completed grenade in its water-tight carton for shipment to the front.

RIFLE GRENADES PROVE WORTH
WHERE "KILL OR BE KILLED"
TACTICS ARE GRIM REALITY

Boys on the fighting fronts are carrying the fight to Hitler and Tojo. "Pass the Ammunition" is the song to Victory. Efforts of Green River Ordnance Plant war workers on the production line are certain to help hasten the day of final victory.

Running a close second to the deadly hand grenade in close combat and hand-to-hand fighting, the modern rifle grenade has proved so successful in various theaters of operations that the Army has extended its use and developed grenade launchers to fit not only the Springfield, but the Garand and the carbine as well.

Particularly against tanks and armored vehicles in Africa, Sicily and now Italy, the rifle grenades proved their battle worth. Modern rifle grenades are filled with high explosive and detonate on impact. The launcher is affixed to the rifle by a clamp, forming an extension to the rifle barrel. The grenade itself, which weighs about one and a half pounds, is fired by a special blank cartridge.

American invasion troops are being supplied with enormous quantities of both hand and rifle grenade equipment. While it is customary to think today in terms of long range, highly mechanized warfare, considerable close combat and hand-to-hand fighting is going on in all battle areas. Particularly in the jungle fighting in

and those few guards and doctors, who, with the possible exception of the late Jesse Pomeroy, has spent more time in solitary than any other American prisoner.

Stroud was born in Seattle in 1890 and, in 1909, at the age of 19, was setting himself up in the business of mackerel or pander in Juneau, Alaska, starting with a stable of one prostitute, some years older than himself. One morning the lady came home from an engagement with a bartender and reported that he had paid her only \$2. Stroud went to the bartender's quarters and shot him dead, robbed him of such money as he had on his clothes and brought it home. For this he got 12 years on a charge of manslaughter, being tried in the Federal court because the crime occurred in federal territory. He was sent to McNeil Island prison where he had served 28 months,

Tossed into a Jap dug-out, machine-gun nest, or a German tank, either of these grenades have a way of ending all argument. In the recent fighting in Italy, a desperate German rear-guard, fearful of being bottled up in a narrow stretch, tried to smash through one of our bridgeheads. Their furious counterattack was broken up when a well-directed grenade hurled by one of our men, exploded inside the lead vehicle, killing all the occupants. The other armored cars stopped, withdrew and the entire German force behind them turned and dashed toward the interior.

who runs a large chicken farm, believing it might be useful in his business. The book was soon followed by a letter revealing that the author, Robert Stroud, had been a prisoner in solitary confinement at Leavenworth prison since 1916 and had recently been transferred to Alcatraz where he would be unable to continue his experiments on birds. Meanwhile my friend, the chicken-farmer, reported that the book was very good, revealing long and intelligent study and experiment and containing many excellent drawings to illustrate the identifying signs of such maladies and injuries as birds, and particularly canaries, are prey to.

Here then, is the story of Robert Stroud who had bred, raised and nursed canaries through many years of isolation from all but the most necessary and formal relations with other human beings.

when he attacked and wounded another prisoner with a knife. He got six months additional time for this and was transferred to Leavenworth. There, in 1916, he sneaked up behind a guard in the mess hall and stabbed him dead with a hand-made knife. In the Federal court he was convicted of murder and sentenced to hang. But was spared on a commutation to life by Woodrow Wilson on his own representation that the guard had been persecuting him.

The warden of Leavenworth, taking no more chances, put him in solitary where Stroud, casting about for a hobby to occupy his timeless existence, began to show an interest in books about canaries. The warden let him have a few birds, got him a microscope and literature and presently there were canaries all over the place. He was never allowed out of his cell with other prisoners. For exercise he was permitted an hour or two a day alone in a little recreation yard opening off the solitary cells. The birds became a nuisance, however, so the warden gave Stroud some cages and he made even better progress, experimenting with breeds, feeding and medicines to cure their ills. He casually mentions that in the summer of 1935 he was "engaged in some experiments with white canaries, to produce pastel pink and lavender plumage by feeding them on organic dyestuffs. He even describes methods of setting, splinting and restricting the use of broken wings and legs, and his reminiscences of victories over injury and disease in individual birds are related with tender affection as well as with informing realism.

Stroud, now 53 years old and having spent 11 more years of his life in solitary than he ever spent free as a child and young man, probably will die in prison as a restricted inmate, even in the maximum security of Alcatraz, where such unrestricted bad men as Basil Bagnhart and Machine Gun Kelly enjoy a relatively privileged life. He was sent to Alcatraz in December, 1942, for reasons which the bureau of prisons considers to be good. His book is dedicated to his friends and to his enemies "whose mean, little or thieves souls, actuated by spite, bigotry, jealousy, sadism, vindictiveness, or ignorance, by their very opposition have stimulated me to greater effort and accomplishment than would have otherwise been possible for me."

He no longer has his canaries.

Funerals

Suburban—
EDWARD H. WINNEY
(Telegraph Special Service)
Oregon, Feb. 11—The funeral of Edward H. Winney, 82, who passed away at 5:00 o'clock Thursday afternoon, will be held at the Farrell funeral home at 2:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon, the Rev. Paul E. Turk, pastor of the Methodist church, officiating. Burial will be in the Daysville cemetery.

Mr. Winney was born Nov. 22, 1861, in Stamford, England, and came to the United States when he was 10 years old. He had been employed as a printer from the time he was 17 years old until about six years ago, when he moved from Gibson City, Ill., to Oregon.

Surviving are a daughter, Edna of Oregon; a foster-son, George Winney of Green Bay, Wis., and two grandchildren. His wife died seven weeks ago Thursday.

Deaths

Local—
OSCAR BERGSTROM
Oscar R. F. Bergstrom, 58, machinist at the Borden condenser for the past 20 years, died very suddenly at 6:30 o'clock this morning while at his work. He apparently was stricken with a heart attack and expired within a very few minutes. The body was removed to the Melvin funeral home where an inquest was to be conducted at 4:00 o'clock today. A sister residing at Standard, Ill., was expected to arrive today to make funeral arrangements.

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CARRIE cried, "I have my job! Draftsman in a Hartford airplane factory. I'm leaving this evening."

When Dr. Planish saw her off on the train, he felt that it had been years ago that she had gone from him, and that he could not remember her face exactly.

A week later, Peony said, "It seems so strange not to have her around. And yet, in a way, I'm relieved. Young people today have no discipline. They think the world's created to serve and please them! So they never can settle down to really serious work."

Peony herself was extremely settled down to serious work, for Winifred Homeward, her boss, was now doing a bi-weekly interpretation of the War News on the radio. Peony and she read the newspapers daily. As there was a lot of valuable news in the papers, so inevitably there was a lot of valuable news in Winifred's broadcasts, and after telling the far-flung what the far-flung had themselves already read in the papers several hours before, Winifred revealed pantingly that the Japanese were now going to invade India—or else they weren't—maybe they were going to invade Siberia.

So Peony received \$35 every Friday, and spent 50 of it every Saturday, and began to explain to Dr. Planish just what the Japanese and India and Siberia were.

The Doctor himself was also serious. With Sherry Belden and Otis Canary, he was preparing blue prints (that's what they called them) for a new Marduc organization to be entitled "The Citizens' Post-War Reconstruction Advisory Planning Unit, Inc."

The Doctor suddenly had new burdens, for Sherry Belden came in, without warning, in uniform and he was decidedly impertinent before he went off to take a train:

"Good luck to the Unit, Planish. I suppose you'll pussy-foot just as successfully on freedom for In-

dia, and freedom for the Negroes in America, as we did during the revolution in Spain. Good hedging, Brother. I'll write you from Iceland or Dakar."

Now was that nice? The Doctor asked himself.

He could have taken a month's vacation, two months, whatever he wanted, and apparently no one would have cared, but Peony was a busy and important person who could take only one week, and that in late August, and he nervously waited for her . . . and he still had not said one word about becoming president of Kinnikinnick.

He told her on the Maine coast, on the sea-washed rocks, by moonlight.

"Gosh, this certainly is beautiful, Peony—the way the moonlight falls on that—the tide, I suppose you'd call it—don't you think it's beautiful, pet?"

"Yes, I love Nature. When you're on vacation, I mean. You're real happy here, aren't you, Gid?"

"Yes, it's so nice and quiet. I don't somehow seem to sleep so well in the city. But I'm afraid it's too quiet for you here. Hasn't it?"

"Well, God Almighty, figure it out for yourself! Whole tourist business shot to pieces by this gas rationing, and me with a new wardrobe that would knock your eye out, and nobody to impress with it—not even hardly any dancing, except with college-boy waiters! And we can't even go see if the other resorts are better. I think it's an outrage you and I can't get more gas."

"But we got to save gasoline for the Army."

"Oh, stuff! That's all very well for the common ordinary people for whom the hell have they got to go to if they did have any gas, but people like us that have been sweating our souls out on behalf of Democracy and the common people, and that have got the qualifications to appreciate scenery and had ought to get around and look over the general feeling in various parts of the country and report on it, why, when we can't

get enough gas, it's an outrage! And they expect us to not get any real vacation and go back to our long winter's work in New York, so thing!"

"Peony! Sweet! Darling! Shut up and listen! This winter in New York, maybe, but after that—Austin Bull and the trustees of Kinnikinnick seem to want me for his successor when he retires in the spring of 1943."

"You're craaaazy!" was his spouse's comment. Her further remarks occupied something over 10 minutes.

He interrupted; he tried to sound like Colonel Marduc:

"Now wait—wait a minute! You've been doing all the talking. What you overlook is that I do want to take this job, and I fully intend to. You might just as well get ready to come along."

"And you might just as well get ready to take a tumble to yourself! For years and years and years I've done nothing but toil and sacrifice and stay home 24 hours a day, devoting myself to your comfort and welfare, but the day passed 20 years ago when women were nothing but slaves!"

"Why, Peony?"

"Oh, I know, you'd like to go on selfishly demanding that all my ability be devoted to you and your whims and comfort and your alleged important position in the world, but—you may not've heard about it!—there just happens to be a certain Mrs. Winifred Homeward, who needs me in her very important undertakings! No, no, my boy, you better get wise to yourself. I'd hoped I'd never have to tell you, but you might just as well know that neither Winnie Homeward nor the Colonel thinks you're so hot, and they'd of muscled you out of the DDD long ago, if it hadn't been for me!"

So rigid he sat, so frozen in the moonlight, that she stopped, made a sound of regret, and poured herself all over him:

"Oh, I didn't mean that! I was just trying to get your goat! All I mean is, the Marduces think I'm pretty good, too. Oh, my little big, forgive your bad Pansy! It makes me mad when you even think of admitting that New York has licked you, and want to sneak back, without ever stopping to think and realize how wicked and horrible it is to expect me to live in a conurb and not even be able to go to the Stork Club with Hal Homeward—"

"Maybe you would find it kind of slow back there, but still—"

They went happily enough to bed; they said nothing more of Kinnikinnick; and when they had returned to New York, Kevern, Vandewart and all the other millionaires who, in the dread and misty future, might provide inspiration if Colonel Marduc should unrock him.

Society News

DINNER PARTY HONORS MISS JACQUELINE STACY BEFORE HER MARRIAGE SATURDAY

A group of friends entertained at dinner last evening at the Rainbow Inn in honor of Miss Jacqueline Stacy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Stacy, 316 Third street, who is the bride-elect of Fred W. Moore, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Moore, 822 Hennepin.

A large bowl of spring flowers centered the dinner table for last night's party and covers were marked for Mmes. L. F. Palen, Clark Hess, Paul Fry, Charles Hansen, George Meyers, Carl Higgins, R. Kern, Frank Schwank, Leroy Bates, Charles Kurzrock, Fred Moore, Sr., Miss Anna Kurzrock, Miss Teckla Devine, Miss Marie Hauser, Miss Virginia Palen, Miss Darline Springer and Mrs. Jack Stacy, mother of the bride-to-be.

The wedding of Miss Stacy and Mr. Moore will be solemnized at the parsonage of St. Patrick's Catholic church by Fr. Walter Lessman on Saturday morning at 11 o'clock.

The group presented the future Mrs. Moore with a chest of silver as a gift.

Mrs. W. Hohenadel Is Complimented

Miss Marian Powers entertained a group of friends of Mrs. Walter Hohenadel last evening at her home as a farewell gesture to her before she leaves next week to join her husband who is a private first class in the U. S. army, stationed at Vancouver Barracks, Vancouver, Wash.

Guests included Margaret Sproul, Agatha Tosney, Frances Martin, Grace Crawford and the hostess, Miss Lois Fellows and Gula Smith were unable to attend.

YOUNG MOTHERS MEET WITH MRS. JOHN VANDENBERG

The Young Mothers club met Wednesday at the home of Mrs. John Vandenberg, 214 Third street. She had Mrs. W. Kitson, chairman, and Mrs. B. B. Cartwright as assisting hostesses.

Mrs. George Holland gave an interesting book review on a book written by Dr. C. Anderson Aldrich, associate professor at Northwestern university, who writes on "Babies Are Human Beings." Dr. Aldrich stresses in his book the growth and development of a child, that each individual child has his own personality, and that parents can try to guide them but they have their own ideas.

The club will have a scramble supper on their next meeting night, Thursday, Feb. 24, instead of on Wednesday. They are inviting their husbands to this meeting for Husbands Night.

The food committee is headed by Mrs. Joe Hall and Mrs. Kenneth Helm heads the entertainment committee.

The services of the National Committee for Conservation of Manpower in War Industries is available to any plant interested in industrial safety programs.

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Club Speaker



Mrs. Laura Hughes Lunde of Chicago will appear before the Dixon Women's club tomorrow when they meet at the Loveland Community House under the sponsorship of the American citizenship committee of the club. Mrs. Hughes will speak on the subject "The First Line of Home Defense."

She is the vice president in charge of legislation of the Woman's City club of Chicago, and in connection with this office she has directed studies of the club concerning bills which have been brought up before the Illinois assembly. She is also secretary of the Illinois Women's Conference on legislation and is president of the Citizen's Civil Service association of Illinois.

Mrs. H. W. Leydig is chairman of the American Citizenship committee, and Mrs. Carl Kling is the hostess chairman for the afternoon meeting. All the Women's clubs of Lee county are invited to attend and hear this outstanding speaker.

SOLDIERS RUSH FOR VALENTINES

London, Feb. 11—(AP)—Home-sick American doughboys are ransacking English shops for Valentines and the "more loving" cards are the faster they sell.

The Yanks have gone Valentine Mad! said one merchant, adding:

"They want cards with heart-throbs and valentines tricked out with tiny red silk bows and bits of lace in the old-style fashion fairly fascinate them. We've got rid of valentines which have been on the shelf for 10 years."

BIRTHDAY TODAY

A number of friends got together today to celebrate the birthday anniversary of Miss Marietta Drain at a dinner. The table centerpiece was a pink and white birthday cake.

Spring Coats Borrow Gay Colors from Flower Seed Catalogs



Peplum pockets, half-belt and shawl collar distinguish the 1944 version of the officer's coat in gold-colored Forstmann spring fleece shown at the left. The nasturtium red mandarin coat of Hockanum wool duvetyne trimmed with heavy black cable cord, at the right, is one of the short coats for spring that is long on popularity.

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Louis Pitcher Is to Speak Before Retired Teachers

Louis Pitcher, a former business man of Dixon, will address the Retired Teachers club on the topic of "Alaska", Tuesday, Feb. 15, at 2:30 o'clock at the home of Miss Agnes Conley, 420 Third street.

Mr. Pitcher was connected with the Dixon Home Telephone company for many years and was executive vice president of the United States Independent Telephone association with offices in Chicago for several years. He has traveled extensively having been in every state in the U. S., Mexico, Canada and Alaska. He has given addresses in 28 states and also addressed the telephone association in Canada. Mr. Pitcher retired from telephone work on Jan. 1, 1943.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Miller will be in charge of the projector when they show and delight their audience with beautiful scenes of Alaska.

NAVY MOTHER OF 1944 IS CHOSEN

Great Lakes, Ill., Feb. 11—(AP)—Mrs. Nellie H. Twele, of Baltimore, Md., who has a husband and four sons in the Navy and two sons in the Army, has been chosen the Navy Mother of 1944 after a nation-wide search which produced more than 17,500 nominations.

She will be guest of honor next week when she will inspect the naval training station and broadcast a report to the nation's mothers on the "Meet Your Navy" program, Feb. 18 at 7:30 p. m. (Central War Time) over the Blue network.

Other mothers among the 28 outstanding entries from whom the final selection was made included Mrs. Orlando Ingvaldstad, Long Lake, Ill., and Mrs. Ruth Felton, Rockford, Ill.

While her family is busy fighting the war, Mrs. Twele has busied herself with giving blood 11 times, being elected commander of the Baltimore Navy Mothers club, being state organizer for the same group, writing her husband daily and the boys twice weekly, caring for an apartment and her daughter, Dolly, 10.

And she says she's the "happiest woman in the world."

CUBS ENTERTAIN WITH PARENTS

North Central Cub Pack, which is sponsored by the North Central Parent-Teacher association, entertained along with fathers, mothers and sisters last evening at a scramble supper held at the Methodist church. The supper was given to observe Boy Scout week.

A regular Pack meeting preceded a program of stunts arranged by the Cubs. Harry Newcomer is chairman of the Pack committee and Enos Keithley is their Cub master.



—USMC Photo from NEA

Second Lieut. Wanda J. Booth, USMCWR, of Wichita, Kan., symbolizes the alert-eyed, comely young women to whom the nation offers congratulations at their service—the U. S. Marine Corps Women's Reserve—celebrates its first anniversary on Feb. 13.

Mrs. George Is WSCS Hostess

Mrs. Myrtle George was hostess to members of Circle One of the Women's Society of Christian Service of the Methodist church. Despite the inclement weather 30 members were present to enjoy the 1 o'clock luncheon served by a committee composed of Miss Margaret Cagney, Mrs. J. A. Preston and Mrs. Hettie Dawson. Following the luncheon there was group singing of patriotic songs, led by Mrs. Wayne Sawyer with Mrs. Blake Grover at the piano. Mrs. Fred Ball, chairman of the circle conducted the business session at which plans were discussed for future activities.

Mrs. Helen Moeller conducted very impressive devotions, based on Matt. 22 and John 21. The program of the afternoon, arranged by Mrs. A. I. Hardy, was opened by Mrs. A. E. Marth who gave a very enlightening paper on "Statesmen of Our Country Compared With Those of Other Countries." Mrs. H. D. Bills gave the story of an African girl who became a nurse. She also gave a fascinating story of Bishop Lee who was at one time bishop of Singapore. The meeting was dismissed by Dr. F. L. Blewfield. Mrs. Moeller will be the hostess for the March meeting.

20TH CENTURY CLUB

Mrs. Erman Miller was hostess last evening for an 8 o'clock meeting of the Twentieth Century Literary club. Mrs. David Crawford had the paper for the evening on "Iran."

Members of the club will be inviting their husbands to the next meeting for "Husband's Night" and a scramble supper at 6:30 o'clock.

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Silver Tea Is Being Planned By Relief Corps

Dixon Woman's Relief Corps, with other patriotic orders, will hold joint services at Abraham Lincoln's statue to commemorate the Civil War president's birthday anniversary, on Saturday morning at 10 o'clock.

Members of the Relief corps will hold a short business meeting at 2:30 p. m. Monday afternoon in G. A. R. hall. At 3:30 a program commemorating Abraham Lincoln and George Washington's birthdays will be presented and all patriotic organizations and the public are invited to attend.

The program will include group singing led by Mrs. Minnie Auman; Lincoln quotations, corps members; vocal solo, Sylvia Nelles; reading, Thelma Bosley; song, and tap dance, Carmen Larsen; accordion solo, Nancy Peterson; vocal solo, Sue Nelles.

At the close of the program the February executive chairmen have arranged a silver tea.

ANGNA ENTERS TO BE GUEST ARTIST IN ROCHELLE

Miss Angna Enters, dance mime, painter and author, will be guest artist at the Rochelle township high school on Sunday.

Her magnificent characterizations have long baffled the critics, but they and her devotees all over America and Europe agree on one thing—she represents a superlative show.

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Dixon Masonic Temple — 1st, 2nd and 3rd Fridays of month, 1-4:30 p. m.

Amboy— Wednesday, 2-5; 7-9 p. m.

Ashton — Monday, 2-4:30; Tuesday, 7-9:30 p. m.

Franklin Grove— Tuesday, 1:30-4:30; 7-9:30 p. m.

Lee Center—Wednesday, 2-5 p. m.

Nachusa— Wednesday, 10 a. m.-5 p. m.

Nelson — Wednesday 9:30-11:30 a. m.; 1:30-4:30; 7:30-9:30 p. m.

Paw Paw—Thursday, 1:30-5 p. m.

Steward—Tuesday 1-5; 7:30-10 p. m.; Wednesday and Thursday 1-5 p. m.

Sublette—Wednesday, 1:30-4; 7-10 p. m.

West Brooklyn — Wednesday, 7-9 p. m., Thursday 1-4 p. m.

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The Rummage Sale

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MARKETS

Markets at a Glance

TOMORROW HOLIDAY—Security and commodity markets throughout the United States will be closed tomorrow, Lincoln's Birthday. Various livestock reports will be issued as usual by the W. F. A. New York: Stocks irregular; profit taking stems rise. Bonds mixed; profit taking in rails. Cotton lower; hedge selling and liquidation. Chicago: Wheat steadied after early decline; trade light. Rye weak; commission houses sold; aggressive support lacking. Hogs fairly active on all weights and classes. Cattle—All killing classes steady to strong. Steer top 16.25.

Chicago Produce

Chicago, Feb. 11.—(AP)—(WFA)—Potatoes arrivals 59; on track 117; total US shipments 994; supplies light; trading very tight; heavy snow; mail-order steady on best stock; North Dakota bliss triumphs; commercials 2.35. Futures: Mar. 3.31; Nov. 3.00; Nov. 3.00.

Poultry, live, unchanged. Butter, firm; receipts 294,469; market unchanged. Eggs, receipts 12,471; temporarily firmer; market unchanged. Futures: Feb. 35.30; Nov. 40.30.

Chicago Livestock

Chicago, Feb. 11.—(AP)—(WFA)—Salable hogs 7,000; total 16,000; fairly active; steady to good and choice 200-300 lbs. at 13.75; the top, 15.00; some sales light weights up more; weights over 330 lb scarce; few 340-375 lbs. 12.75-13.00; 13.75; good and choice 350-500 lb sows 12.25-15.00; choice light weights 12.60; estimated holdover 4,000.

Salable cattle 1,000; salable calves 300; all killing classes steady to strong; fairly active; market conducted in heavy snow; not much beef in run; low choice 13.50-15.50; low-choice 12.00 lb offerings as well as comparable grade 1025 lb mixed steers and heifers 16.25; the top, not strictly good or choice heifers here, mostly common and medium grade, at 10.00-12.00; these active; cull cows 8.00 down; with lighter canners 6.25; most beef cows 8.50-10.50; outstanding weightsy sausage bulls to 11.50; 12.00 on active trade; bulk light and weighty bulls 9.00-11.50; vealers fully steady at 15.00 down medium 130 lb offerings 12.00.

Salable sheep 500; total 2,500; no early sales, nothing strictly good or choice offered; load or so good fed western lambs held 16.00 and slightly above, however run very light and hardly enough on sale to definitely test values.

Officially estimated salable receipts tomorrow: hogs 500; cattle 200; sheep 100.

Chicago Cash Grain

Chicago, Feb. 11.—(AP)—Wheat sample grade hard 1.64 1/2; barley, mailing 1.25 1/2-1.44 1/2; corn feed 1.18 1/2-1.22 1/2; new feed seed per cwt timothy 5.75 @ 6.00; red top 14.00-15.00; red clover 31.50; sweet clover 10.50.

Chicago Grain Table

WHEAT—	Open	High	Low	Close
May 1.70	1.70	1.69	1.70 1/2	
July 1.67 1/2	1.67 1/2	1.67 1/2	1.67 1/2	
Sept 1.66 1/2	1.66 1/2	1.65 1/2	1.66 1/2	
Dec 1.66 1/2	1.66 1/2	1.66	1.66 1/2	
OATS—				
May 79	79 1/2	78 3/4	79	
July 76	76 1/2	75 3/4	76	
Sept 73 3/4	73 3/4	73 1/2	73 3/4	
Dec 73 3/4	73 3/4	73 1/2	73 3/4	
RYE—				
May 1.28 1/2	1.28 1/2	1.27 1/2	1.28 1/2	
July 1.27 1/2	1.27 1/2	1.26 1/2	1.27 1/2	
Sept 1.26 1/2	1.26 1/2	1.25 1/2	1.26 1/2	
Dec 1.26 1/2	1.26 1/2	1.25 1/2	1.26 1/2	
BARLEY—				
May 1.21 1/2	1.21 1/2	1.21 1/2	1.21 1/2	
July 1.19 1/2	1.19 1/2	1.18 1/2	1.19 1/2	
Sept 1.16 1/2	1.16 1/2	1.16 1/2	1.16 1/2	

Wall Street Close

(By The Associated Press)

Al Ch 36 1/4; Am Can 82 1/4; Am Loco 5 1/4; Am Sm 37 1/4; A T & T 157 1/2; A T & S F 59 1/4; Av Corp 3 1/2; Bendix 34; Beth Stl 58 1/2; Borden 29 1/2; Borg Wain 36; Case 35; Cater Tract 45 1/4; C & O 46; Chrysler 79; Cont Corp 20 1/4; Corn Prod 1 56 1/4; Curt W 5 1/2; Douglas Aircr 51 1/4; Du Pont de N 138 1/2; Eastman Kodak 160; Gen Mot 54 1/2; Gen Foods 41; Gen Mot 54 1/2; Goodrich B F 41 1/2; Goodyear T R 27 1/2; Int Harv 70; Johns Man 86; Kenn Cof 30 1/2; Kroger Groc 32 1/2; Lib O F 34 1/2; Ligs & Mv B 71 1/2; Marsh Field 14; Mont Ward 42 1/2; Nat Bis 21 1/2; Nat Dairy Prod 20 1/2; No Am Avia 7 1/2; Nor Pac 15 1/2; Owens Ill Gl 57 1/4; Pan Am Aircr 30 1/2; Penney 94; Penn R R 28 1/2; Phillips Pet 44 1/2; Repub Stl 18 1/2; Sears 85 1/2; Shell Un Oil 24 1/2; Sinclair Oil 10 1/2; St Oil N J 52 1/2; St Oil Ind 33 1/2; St Oil N J 52 1/2; Texas Co 47 1/2; Un Carb 79 1/2; Un Air L 24 1/2; Un Aircr 28 1/2; US Rub 42 1/2; US SU 52.

Crewless Towboat on Mississippi Cruise

St. Louis, Feb. 11.—(AP)—Casablanca, a new 1,200-ton towboat, took a half-mile cruise down the Mississippi river yesterday without a crew.

Ice-coated lines became fouled and broke as the boat was launched and the craft started downstream. Two tugboats rescued the towboat and returned it to its dock. Regulations prohibit anyone being aboard during a launching.

The Casablanca is the third of six \$1,000,000 tugboats to be built here for the Defense Plant Corporation under the supervision of Army engineers.

—Brides and brides-to-be should see our up-to-date samples of wedding invitations and announcements—engraved or printed.—B. F. Shaw Printing Co.

Charlie Chaplin is

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months-old daughter. Six others, including several persons prominent in fashionable Beverly Hills, were indicted along with Chaplin for an asserted conspiracy to deprive Miss Berry of her constitutional rights following her arrest on a vagrancy charge Jan. 2, 1943, in Beverly Hills.

The Mann Act charges against Chaplin are not connected with the alleged conspiracy. One count alleges that on Oct. 5, 1942, he transported Miss Berry from Los Angeles to New York City with intent to have her "engage in illicit sex relations with him and live with the said defendant as his mistress."

The second count is based on Miss Berry's return from New York City to Los Angeles.

Chaplin in Seclusion

Chaplin was in seclusion but his attorney, Jerry Giesler, said the comedian would surrender to the U. S. Marshal Monday, adding an appeal that the public withhold judgment against the film star "until he has had his day in court."

The conspiracy allegations are that Miss Berry's arrest was plotted, that she was refused access to legal counsel and finally intimidated into leaving California. One indictment lists 22 alleged overt acts.

The six named with Chaplin are Beverly Hills City Judge Charles Griffin, who, after Miss Berry pleaded guilty to vagrancy, sentenced her to 90 days in jail, suspended on condition that she leave town; Capt. W. W. White, Lt. Claude Marple and Matron Jessie Billie Reno of the Beverly Hills police department; Robert Arden, radio commentator whose real name is Rudolph Kligler, and Thomas Wells (Tim) Durant, former film studio official and a friend of Chaplin. All are charged with participation in the alleged conspiracy.

Chaplin an Englishman

Chaplin, regarded as one of the wealthiest men in the film industry, is an Englishman and has never been naturalized. Of his four wives, three were actresses: Mildred Harris, Lita Grey, and Paulette Goddard. All three marriages ended in divorce.

His present bride is Oona O'Neill, 18-year-old daughter of the playwright, Eugene O'Neill, whom Chaplin married last June, two weeks after Miss Berry had sued on charges he was the father of her then unborn child.

A U. S. attorney's office at Los Angeles said that Chaplin, if convicted on all four indictments on which he is charged, would be liable to a maximum of 23 years in prison and fines totaling \$26,000.

The War Today

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operation which is more than half political. He's protecting the gateway to the Balkans to prevent a revolt among his satellites there.

So it is with the Anzio-Nettuno beachhead. Hitler needs a spectacular victory to impress wavering supporters and hand his stricken people a ray of hope. He must persuade friends and foes that Germany is still a mighty power.

The stage setting is perfect. The allied force is almost at the gates of Rome, after a triumphant amphibious invasion which centered the eyes of the world on the scene. If the Fuehrer can smash us, his propagandists can blow the feat up into a victory as high as the Alps.

Official reports say we have been holding our own. However, the position is difficult for us. The Germans, who apparently possess numerically superiority, are on high ground which overlooks the beachhead. They're flinging everything they can get hold of at our men.

Still, we have air superiority—an invaluable asset—and a naval fleet off shore is backing us up. Officialdom expresses confidence we shall win the day.

One of those whom Hitler is trying to impress with a beachhead victory is little, Finland. The Helsinki government is burning midnight oil over Secretary of State Hull's warning that the Finns must quit Hitlerdom or their blood will be on their own heads.

Only a quick peace with Russia can help Finland—if indeed it isn't late already. The Finns are unprotected in the path of the Red hurricane.

The writing on the wall seems to read clearly that the western allies aren't going to break relations with Russia over any territorial questions which thus far have arisen. Washington and London might put in a plea for leniency toward Finland if she were smart and quit now, but they aren't going to war over the issue.

That new allied weapon, small enough to be carried and fired by one man, but powerful enough to pierce four inches of steel, should be tested on the author of the income tax return form.—Indianaapolis News.

Rain Aids Germans

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troops resisting attempts to drive them into the sea.

Employ "Time Crashes"

The bombers added the weight of their terrible explosives to the destructive blasts arched upon the enemy by allied artillery in "time crashes"—a method of fire control by which hundreds of big guns all place shells upon a single target area in a matter of a minute or so, often erasing the target in a single blast.

Both Flying Fortresses and Liberators joined in yesterday's forays—dropping their deadly missiles on enemy troops at five key points in the highway network around the beachhead area—Albano, Cisterna, Velletri, Campoleone and Cecchina.

Albano, which was heavily bombed, is within a mile and a half of the papal summer palace at Castel Gandolfo where, the Vatican radio said, Vatican property had been hit. There was no confirmation here of the radio report, however, and allied spokesmen said allied airmen had strict instructions to avoid damage to the palace.

But despite the fury of the air offensive, in which 850 sorties were flown as against 30 by the enemy, the Germans apparently retained the initiative on the ground and lashed out in many probing attacks at various points around the bridgehead.

Nazis Increase Force

They continued to add to their containing force and a new division, the 65th, was identified in their line, making five full divisions and a brigade called up to smash the bridgehead.

The German attacks were in the Carroceto (Aprilia) area, where heavy fighting was still in progress, west and southwest of Cisterna where Americans battled grimly to hold them back.

The German high command said German troops had penetrated into Carroceto, capturing the village's railway station, and added that "mopping up of the Aprilia area was continued."

The communiqué also said the allies penetrated for the third time into the northern part of Cassino, 60 miles east of Anzio, but were again thrown out. It declared the Americans and British had lost more than 4,000 prisoners and 89 tanks in the Nettuno area.

It was evident that the nazis main effort was yet to come, and there were indications that the heavy aerial assault may have delayed it.

Activities on the Eighth Army front near the Adriatic still were limited by adverse weather conditions.

WARFARE OVER REICH

London, Feb. 11.—(AP)—American Flying Fortresses blasted Frankfurt-on-the-Main with tons of high explosives again today, striking the already hard hit southwest German industrial and transport center for the second time in four days, and the fourth time since Jan. 29.

While this devastating assault to flatten Frankfurt was in progress, Liberators again operated independently of the Forts, smashing at military installations in the Pas-de-Calais area and American Maulers in their ninth operation in 11 days struck other targets in the "rocket gun" sector of northern France.

Today's operations kept the unprecedented allied aerial assault going through yet another 24-hour cycle and followed up yesterday's mighty attacks on the German manufacturing city of Brunswick and the Gilze-Rijen air base in Holland which precipitated furious air fights in which American heavy bombers and fighters were credited officially with downing 84 enemy planes.

Covered by Fighters

Mustang, Lightning and Thunderbolt fighters covered the Liberators on their run to France.

The daylight forays came in the wake of RAF Mosquito attacks on western Germany and mine laying in German waters from which all RAF planes returned safely.

There was no early report of losses today but a U. S. communiqué said 29 American bombers and eight fighters were lost in yesterday's raids.

The bulletin declared that the American fighters had accounted for 55 of the Nazi planes which were blasted out of the sky—a new record for a single day for U. S. fighter pilots in this theater.

NAZI PROPAGANDA

London, Feb. 11.—(AP)—A broadcast by Transocean, German propaganda agency, said today it was estimated at Vatican City that 500 persons were killed in the bombing of the papal summer residence at Castel Gandolfo south of Rome "by allied planes."

Up to Thursday night 400 bodies had been taken from the ruins of the completely destroyed college of Propaganda, the dispatch declared.

The Vatican radio indicates that the Pope's summer residence itself had not been hit, said yesterday "three bombs fell on the college adjacent to the villa," and that 15,000 refugees were housed in the villa and adjacent buildings. It reported "many casualties" without identifying the bombing planes.

Allied headquarters dispatches from Algiers said heavy bombings had been carried out by the allies

American Transport

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Ill.; joined American Airlines in December, 1942.

Stewardess Dovie May Holybee, Fort Worth, native of Ardmore, Okla.; flying since June, 1942.

Weather conditions at the time the plane reported itself near the river—seven minutes before due in Memphis—were described as "scattered, broken clouds" with the temperature near freezing."

ROSTER OF PASSENGERS

New York, Feb. 11.—(AP)—The American Airlines issued this list of passengers aboard the airliner believed to have crashed into the Mississippi river 10 miles south of Memphis, Tenn.: J. J. Ryan, Garden City, N. Y.; L. C. Matthews, Garden City, N. Y.; D. S. Pensyl, Garden City, N. Y.; Lt. Victor L. Ramsey, Fifth Ferry Group, Dallas, Tex.; Lt. Charles S. Brumfield, Evansville, Ind.; Capt. Edgar F. Zarr, Dallas, Tex.; Dr. O. L. Roberts, Philadelphia; Capt. Sam Rosenfeld, Evacuation Hospital, Los Angeles, Calif.; Frank A. Kennedy, Morrison Knudsen Co., Boise, Idaho; Lt. Herbert S. Sudmeier, Nashville, Tenn.; member of 20th Ferrying Group; Lt. Howard L. Halla, Nashville, Tenn.; member of 20th Ferrying Group; E. C. Miller, Consolidated Steel Corp., Ltd., residence, 316 S. Constock, Whittier, Calif.; Lt. Elizabeth McGuire, Little Rock, Ark.; Lt. Milton M. Rasmussen, Luke Field, Phoenix, Ariz.; A. J. Sanmassimo, Walsh-Kaiser Co., San Francisco, Calif.; L. B. O'Connor, War Production Board, Arlington, Va.; Lt. L. Bohrer, Replacement Training Center, Fresno, Calif.; T. E. Malloy, Plaza Hotel, San Francisco, Calif.; Lt. Linton M. Seifert, Camp Young, Calif.; Lt. Charles S. Spring, Camp Young, Calif.; Ensign Baker, Evacuation Hospital, Los Angeles.

PREVIOUS DISASTERS

(By The Associated Press)

Crash of an American Airlines plane in the Mississippi river near Memphis last midnight with 21 persons aboard was one of the most disastrous in the number of lives lost in the history of civilian aviation in this country.

The toll was exceeded only by the wreck of a Pennsylvania Central Airlines transport plane on Aug. 30, 1940, when 25 persons, including U. S. Senator Ernest A. Lundeen, were carried to their deaths in a field near Lovettsville, Va. That accident had broken a commercial air safety record of more than 17 months.

The estimate of accidents does not consider crashes of civilian planes outside of this country, nor does it include wrecks of military airplanes.

Other recent disastrous crashes: Jan. 16, 1942: Twenty-two persons, including screen star Carole Lombard, dies as Transcontinental & Western Airlines Skyliner crashes in flames on 8,500-foot table mountain near Las Vegas, Nev.

July 29, 1943: Louisville-Nashville transport crashes at Trammell, Ky., taking 20 lives.

Oct. 29, 1941: American Airlines plane wrecked near St. Thomas, Ont., 20 die.

Oct. 29, 1941: Fourteen killed when Northwestern Airlines plane plummets earthward in flames near Moorhead, Minn., two miles from base.

Dec. 15, 1942: Seventeen die as Western Airlines plane crashes on sagebrush-dotted plain near Fairfield, Utah. Two survive.

Oct. 16, 1943: Ten killed when American Airlines plane falls into thickly wooded ravine 47 miles southwest of Nashville, Tenn.

"Man With Mission", Willkie Calls Self

Seattle, Feb. 11.—(AP)—Wendell L. Willkie describes himself as a "young man with a mission" and the mission as freedom.

"Long continuance in power means loss of freedom and I'm dedicated to ending such power," the 1940 presidential candidate declared last night in an address at a political rally during which he and Mrs. Willkie shook hands with nearly 2,000 persons in 40 minutes.

"It is impossible," he declared, "with human nature as it is, for one group to have power too long without corrupting itself."

He said earlier in a press conference that he was confident of the defeat of "the decadent, disolving Democratic party by a reborn, vigorous Republican party."

He said he was on the current tour, not only as a candidate for the Republican presidential nomination, but as a worker to unify the Republican party.

BLOOD MONEY

Storrs, Conn. A hint of blood and ten times is the admission price at a dance tonight at the University of Connecticut. The blood goes to the armed forces (the times to the infantile paralytic fund).

A Mobile blood bank unit from Hartford will redeem the blood pledge cards given by the dancers.

—Buy one of those beautiful building water front lots at Assembly Park. For further information, call R. F. Shaw, Tel. No.

—Against Albano, a mile and a half from Castel Gandolfo, but that there was no confirmation there that Vatican property had been hit.

Allied airmen have strict instructions to avoid hitting church property, the dispatches said.

Delinquent

St. Louis, Feb. 11.—(AP)—George Vierheller, veteran director of the St. Louis Zoo, is pacing the floor.

Ida, the giraffe, is three weeks behind schedule in presenting the zoo with a little 6-foot stranger.

Giraffe births in captivity are rare occurrences and not many of the offsprings survive, so Vierheller has postponed his usual mid-winter snake collecting trip to Florida.

Ida gave birth to a fawn two years ago but refused to care for it and the fawn died. This time a goat will provide milk for the baby if the mother refuses to cooperate. Ida's 20-foot mate has been banished to a separate paddock where he munches hay and ignores the whole affair.

Impatient zoo attendants who have been on duty night and day already have a name for the baby—Delinquent.

Nazis

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lated them from other Nazi units retreating toward Korsun.

Coming events may prove Korsun one of the bloodiest spots on the eastern front if the nazis continue to fight back.

The corridor has now been reduced to bare five miles width and 15 miles length and inside were the remnants of 10 German divisions, or between 100,000 and 150,000 German soldiers whose slaughter or capture promised to be the greatest single German disaster since Stalingrad.

Many inhabitants of Korsun and other towns within the circle have made their way to the soviet lines by night, but the civilian population within the range of soviet guns was still a problem. Bent on completely wiping out every German, the Russians were forced to use tanks and tommy-guns in running down their foe and refrain from using their heavy artillery in a blazing barrage.

Indications are that no German officer had been able to escape the encirclement in the last 48 hours.

To the south another body of Germans was threatened with encirclement in the Krivoy Rog area by Red army thrusts to the north, south and east of that mineral center.

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Kwajalein, American-captured atoll in the Marshalls.

A three-day series of Army air strikes smashed at unspecified targets in the Marshalls with 114 tons of bombs while surface units of the Pacific Fleet shelled two enemy-held islands of the same coral group seriously threatened by the U. S. acquisition of Kwajalein.

Far across the Pacific in a front of growing importance, Lt. Gen. Cheng Tung-Kuo, commander of Chinese forces in India and Burma, told a Chungking rally that American-trained Chinese troops are advancing steadily on the Burma front.

The Melbourne radio reported that allied troops have repulsed the "greatest Japanese attack" in the Arakan district of Burma, where, New Delhi announced today, the enemy abandoned town of Taung Bazaar has been recaptured by the allies.

British bombers carried out another raid last night in Bangkok, capital of Thailand.

No Changes in Shoe Rations Contemplated

Washington, Feb. 11.—(AP)—The Office of Price Administration said today that it is planning no change in the current rate of shoe rationing.

"Although it still is too early to say how many pairs of shoes will be available for civilians this year, indications now are that the present rate of rationing—a new stamp every six months for one pair—will be maintained," the agency said.

"ABSOLUTELY NAKED"

Danielson, Conn.—Sign on the wall of a local restaurant.

"Due to rationing and other things beyond our control, we are forced to sell a 5 cent frankfurter absolutely naked—plain and unadorned. We will allow a toasted roll, mustard and relish with a 10 cent frankfurter.

"These prices and regulations obtain pending the next act of congress."

"The management".

—Scratch Pads—4 of them for 15 cents.—B. F. Shaw Printing Company

Japan Extends Labor Draft Law Drastically

New York, Feb. 11.—(AP)—The Japanese government has ordered a drastic extension of the national labor conscription law, effective immediately, to make males from the ages of 12 to 60 and unmarried females from the ages of 12 to 40 subject to the labor draft, a dispatch broadcast by Domei said today. The new extension followed repeated demands by Japanese leaders for increased production of planes, ships and munitions.



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Terse News

Lt. Finn Is Promoted—Word has been received of the promotion of Second Lieutenant LeRoy G. Finn of Amboy to a first lieutenant and he is now serving as battalion adjutant in Italy. He has been on overseas duty since 1942, his promotion becoming effective Jan. 16.

County Gets Gas Tax—Lee county's allotment of state motor fuel tax for the month of January amounted to \$3,966 according to an announcement made public at the office of George B. McKibben, state director of finance at Springfield today. Ogle county will receive \$3,973. Bureau county, \$4,773 and Whiteside county, \$5,500.

Inspect High Schools—R. C. Edmundson, Ward Black and Foster Kaegel, assistant state superintendents of public instruction concluded an inspection of Lee county high schools yesterday and last night, returned to Chicago, en route back to Springfield. They were scheduled to conclude their inspection today by visiting the Steward high school with County Superintendent John Torrens but because of the worst snow storm of the winter, postponed that inspection until a later date.

Green To Speak Twice—Springfield, Ill., Feb. 11.—(AP)—Governor Green plans to deliver two Lincoln Birthday addresses—one here Saturday night after Vice President Wallace speaks at a Mid-Day Luncheon Club program and a second Monday at a Republican observance in Chicago. The speech Monday is expected to treat national and political issues.

Exchange Seats Up—New York, Feb. 11.—(AP)—The sale of two New York Stock Exchange seats at \$50,000 each was announced today. This is the highest price for a membership since May, 1940, and an increase of \$2,000 over the previous transfer. A New York Curb Exchange seat was sold at \$9,000, an increase of \$1,000 over the previous transactions.

FDR On Air Tomorrow—Washington, Feb. 11.—(AP)—President Roosevelt will address the nation tomorrow afternoon, speaking for about five minutes during a radio broadcast between 4:30 and 5 o'clock, Eastern War Time. The speech will be in connection with ceremonies attendant upon the presentation of a destroyer-escort to French naval authorities under lend-lease. The subject of Roosevelt's address was not disclosed.

Nosworthy Will Filed—The will of Mrs. Ellen Nosworthy of this city has been filed in the Lee county court and is set for hearing at 10 o'clock on the morning of March 8, Mrs. Nosworthy passed away on Jan. 12. Two liberal bequests are made in the will, which provides that the sum of \$1,000 be given to the St. Paul's Lutheran Evangelical church of this city and \$500 to the Nachusa Lutheran orphanage at Nachusa. An unusual provision of the will provides that each of the pall bearers and the singers at the funeral service is to receive \$2.50 and \$10 is provided for the minister preaching the funeral service. The inventory lists personal property valued at \$3,000 and after the bequests are met, the remainder of the estate is to be divided among 22 heirs. Miss Eleanor E. Powell of this city is named executor of the estate.

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Dr. Howard M. Edwards; Dudley Friedland; Walter Krug; H. V. Massey; Patsy Wagner, route 4; Mary Catherine Powers, Amboy; Milton Rapp, Sublette; Kenneth Koehler, Amboy; Sam Musser, Sublette.

SOLE-FUL PLEA

Kansas City—The ration board gladly granted Mrs. Evelyn Oney an extra shoe ration stamp. A pair she had worn out selling \$12,000 worth of war bonds in a house-to-house campaign.

Military Control of Southern Italy Ended

Naples, Feb.

Dixon Dukes Engage Sterling Tonight in NCI Loop Tilt Here

Sharpshooters Given Slight Edge Over Foe in Expected Fine Tilt

By BILL EVANS
Tonight is the big moment that the fans have been waiting for as the Dixon Sharpshooters play host to their old rival, the blue and gold of Sterling, in their second NCIC meet of the season. The varsity game will get under way about 8:30 p. m. and Coach C. B. Lindell's underclassmen cagers will take on the Sterling Freshman-Sophomore quintet in the curtain raiser that will start promptly at 7:00.

Sterling Out for Blood
The Sterling cagers will be out for blood tonight after that one point victory the Dukes squeezed out over them earlier in the season. In the previous game the Sharpshooters won by the close score, the final was Dixon 27-Sterling 26.

The Blue and Gold will use the same lineup on the floor as they did in their previous game and the Dukes will do likewise except for one forward position that will be occupied by Senior Forward Bob Cramer who has taken over Blvin's position, due to the dropping of the latter boy from high school.

Marshall Top Scorer
Dixon can boast about their scoring ace, Center Bob Marshall, who has tallied 146 points in 12 games for an average of about 12 points a game. On the other hand, the Sterling aggregation can not put any one player up to Marshall's scoring for Sterling is noted for it's on and off team that is either "hot" or "cold."

Goff In Stride
The Sharpshooters' little forward, Bill Goff, has gotten back into his hitting stride and should add a great punch to the Duke's offense. In the last game with Hall Township, Goff was high scorer of the evening as he rang up 19 points to boost his total points to 121 in thirteen games for an average of about 9.3 markers per game. The other three Duke regulars, Cramer, Meinke and Walters, have scored 30, 26 and 26 points respectively so far this season.

Dukes Favored
The Dukes will go into tonight's game as the favorites to win their second game over the Sterling five in a close and thrilling game. Dixon's favoritism is undoubtedly due to their ability to score even if they are cold or hot, Sterling, was previous stated, is a hot or cold team. Due to the difference it is your's truly prediction that the Dukes will come out the victor over the Sterling five tonight.

The following lineup will take the floor in tonight's games:
Varsity Lineup
Sterling—Leseman and Wolf, forwards; Duhm, center; Hunsberger and Linton, guards.

Dixon—Goff and Cramer, forwards; Marshall, center; Meinke and Walters, guards.

Fresh-Soph Lineup
Sterling—Gould and Robinson, forwards; Melchi, center; Keiser and Hoffman, guards.

Dixon—Egglebrecht and Schultz, forwards; Fuller, center; Acker and Vaile, guards.

Officials: Bender and McCartney.

Cunningham's Record for Mile Endangered

Boston, Feb. 11.—(AP)—One of the last of the many mile marks the great Glenn Cunningham set along the indoor track circuit—his 4:10 record for the Boston A's Hunter event—appears certain tonight of erasure tomorrow night when Gil Dodds, the Boston divinity student, and Bill Hulise, the speedy chemical engineer from Passaic, N. J., resume their rivalry at the Boston Garden.

SPORTS DISTRICT BASKET... District Basketball Meets Begin Feb. 22

The 1944 series of basketball tournaments for the state of Illinois will get under way Feb. 22 and 23 with the district meets coming that week. According to information received from the office of the Illinois High School association in Chicago, Franklin Grove will act as host to nearby schools in this area, Lee, Lee Center, Compton, Harmon, Steward and Franklin Grove making up the field of entries. Pairings of teams for the first round of games are being made in the I. H. S. A. offices and have not been received at the Franklin Grove school it was reported today.

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Bowling

DIXON RECREATION COMMERCIAL LEAGUE

Peter Pipers	37	20
The Round Up	35	22
Dixon Hatchery	32	25
Dixon Telegraph	28	29
Carsons "66"	27	30
Lloyds Independents	26	31
Reynolds Wire	23	34
Hey Bros.	20	37

Individual Records
High Ind. game—
Daschbach..... 256
Winebrenner..... 256
High Ind. series—
Winebrenner..... 630
Daschbach..... 630

Team Records
High team game—
The Round Up..... 1104
High team series—
The Round Up..... 3062

Vician	151	153	192	496
.....	126	126	126	378
Total	849	972	886	2707
Carsons "66"				
Carson	166	162	146	474
Ommen	155	172	132	459
Campbell	114	171	193	478
Brown	152	168	180	500
Bubrich	178	205	147	530
.....	155	155	155	465
Total	920	1033	953	2906

	826	1035	583	2444
Lloyds Independents				
C. Lloyd	123	135	114	372
Horton	159	191	136	486
Hill	153	121	158	432
Handy	155	128	129	412
Miller	195	191	136	522
	171	171	171	513
Total	956	937	844	2737

Dixon Hatchery				
Paulsen	176	152	165	493
Jones	172	120	169	461
Boynt	115	117	146	378
Hoelscher	125	207	128	460
Austin (ave)	167	167	167	501
	133	133	133	399
Total	888	896	908	2692
Reynolds Wire				

Adolph (ave)	164	164	164	492
Oslyn	103	117	136	356
McCollum ..	149	133	129	411
Vorton	156	156	179	491
Vinebrenner	162	153	201	516
	115	115	115	345
Total	849	838	924	2611
Hey Bros.				
	125	155	114	404

Knowles ...	159	159	117	435
Love	113	153	117	383
Heavner ...	114	126	115	355
Keller	121	132	145	398
Key	148	143	123	414
	210	210	210	630
Total	841	919	824	2584

LADIES

AFTERNOON LEAGUE		
	W	L
Cardinals	27	12
Giants	24	15
Tigers	18	21
Panthers	9	30
Individual Records		
High Ind. game—Paulsen...	182	
High Ind. series—Barlow ..	468	

Team Records				
High team game—	Cardinals	906		
High team series—	Tigers.	2596		
Yankees				
Gecker	117	106	69	292
James	122	93	138	353
Felson	100	125	115	340
Depley	100	112	98	310
High (ave)	114	114	114	342

Paulsen (ave)	114	114		
	228	228	228	684
Total	781	778	762	2321
Cardinals				
Paulsen (ave)	125	125	125	375
Boydnt	153	162	149	464
Marlow	130	132	122	384
Erzinger ...	92	96	133	321
Boelscher ..	153	130	120	403

	162	170	170	502
Total	815	815	819	2449
Giants				
chwank ...	106	138	92	336
Williams'	84	95	85	264
rug	131	131	153	415
ill	83	120	98	301
etersen ...	153	116	132	401
	241	241	241	723

Individual Records	
High Ind. game—Paulsen	182
High Ind. series—Barlow	468

Team Records	
High team game—Cardinals	906
High team series—Yanks	2596

Ordnance	28	29
Beckman	25	32
enox Transfer	15	42
Due to weather conditions two		
teams were unable to bowl. Hu-		
guers and Rinkydinks will play		
this game off at a later date.		
Team high 3 games—		
Ordnance		3064

Controllers	2979
eam high single game—	
rdnance	1139
eckmans	1060
individual high 3 games—	
C. Emmert	607
Holbrook	598
individual high single game—	
Benedict	287

Benedict				207
Whiting				235
Controllers				
Schreiber ..	167	155	123	445
Strombo	158	133	131	422
Wadden	123	155	131	409
Henry	157	140	156	453
Wahnke	169	149	173	491
	167	167	167	501

Total	941	899	881	2721
Warners Garage				
Warner	130	161	123	414
Forrell	125	131	120	376
Whitebread ..	125	145	120	390
Emmert	176	123	183	482
Emmert	169	169	169	507
	188	188	188	564
Total	913	917	903	2733

Militia				
ouna	121	129	121	371
ackbarth ..	163	119	138	420
erdorff ..	132	142	143	417
olbrook ...	156	188	179	523
rzinger ...	117	117	117	351
	238	238	238	714
Total	927	933	936	2796

Lenox Transfer				
Wulfe	138	161	147	446
Selfrich ...	108	203	123	434
en	170	159	174	503
Lenox	134	134	134	402
ich	123	123	123	369
	229	229	229	687
Total	902	1009	930	2841
Heckmans				

Blackman ...	134	144	162	440	C
Laberer	133	131	148	412	
Corley	134	134	134	402	F
Hitting ...	134	134	134	402	E
Pratilli	191	185	178	554	
	242	242	242	726	

Ohio State Needs Double Victory to Remain in Running

Twin Shellacking Will Throw Big Ten Cage Race Wide Open

Chicago, Feb. 11.—(AP)—It's a big "if," but if Iowa's undefeated Hawkeyes can hurdle the rangy Buckeyes of Ohio State in the two game series opening tonight at Columbus, they're practically a shoo-in for at least a chunk of the Big Ten basketball title.

Currently in sole possession of first place, with seven victories, Messrs. Purdue, Danner & Co. face only Purdue and Northwestern in their final league engagements after the Ohio set.

The double date with Northwestern comes March 3 and 4 by which time the Wildcats will have lost virtually their entire team to the Navy and Marines. Among purple athletes scheduled for departure before then are forwards Capt. Otto Graham, Nick Vodik and John Ward, center George Felt, and guards Ronnie Schumacher and Jerry Carle.

It's extremely unlikely coach Dutch Lonborg can whip together a winning combination from those remaining, the only regular of whom will be guard Bennie Schadler. Northwestern presently occupies third place with five wins and one loss.

Purdue Another Story
—Purdue, of course, is another story. The second place Boilermakers, beaten only once in eight conference games, are just about the toughest outfit in the league when the chips are down. Should Iowa get by Ohio tonight and tomorrow, Purdue stands in an excellent spot to hand the Hawkeyes their first defeat of the season next Friday at Iowa City.

It would surprise no one, however, if Ohio turned the trick either tonight, tomorrow or both, for the Bucks are a formidable crew. Last week they dealt Purdue its only conference whipping after the Boilermakers had taken the first of a two game series. Their only conqueror in eight clashes was Northwestern which eked out a two point win.

Bucks Need Double Win
The Bucks actually need a double victory to stay in the championship running. A single win would leave Iowa in undisputed ownership of first place and reduce Ohio to the status of a three-time loser. But a twin shellacking of the Hawks would throw the title race into a wide open affair with Iowa, Purdue, Ohio, Northwestern, and Wisconsin all having a chance.

Illinois returns to conference wars after a long layoff by entertaining Northwestern in a game that will be Graham's last Big Ten appearance. The Wildcat ace has been ordered to report next week for naval aviation training at Colgate University. The Illini, with only two victories in six efforts, don't rate to cop tonight's battle—but then you never can tell.

The night's other Big Ten engagement brings Wisconsin (5-2) to Bloomington, Ind. for what should be an easy win over the hapless Hoosiers (0-7).

In major non-conference competition Purdue is host to Wabash, Marquette (6-5) visits Western Michigan (10-3), and Great Lakes (25-2) visits Fort Custer.

FIGHTS LAST NIGHT

(By The Associated Press)
Highland Park, N. J.—Herbie Katz, 175, Brooklyn, stopped James Polk, 162, Camp Klipper, (6); Russell Baxter, 163, New Castle, Pa., outpointed Harry Gary, 159, New York, (8).
Fall River, Mass.—Joe Reddick, 152, New York, outpointed Benny Williams, 153, Newark, N. J. (10); Jimmy Synnot, 142, Fall River, Mass., outpointed Joe Lemieux, 139, New Bedford, Mass. (6).
Philadelphia—Billy Arnold, 141, Philadelphia, knocked out Henry Jordan, 142, Philadelphia (1); Jimmy Anest, 143½, New York, outpointed Buck Streater, 143½, Collinswood, N. J. (6).
Portland, Me.—Maurice (Lefty) LaChance, 127, Lisbon, Me., outpointed Marcel Fournier, 129½, Montreal, (10); Boyo Mallon, 154, British navy, outpointed Billy Lancaster, 156, Portland, Me., (6).

Bowling Bits

By "FRIDAY"

In the Commercial league at the Recreation alleys last night Peter Pipers went back into first place with a lead of two games, by taking two from the Dixon Telegraph. The Town House five now have 37 wins to 20 losses, two games ahead of the second place Round Up. Frank Daschbach was high for Pipers with 570 and Petersen led the Telegraph with 436.

Carson's "66" dropped the Round Up into second by taking all three games, holding the Round Up to 35-22. Davis was high for the latter five with 523 and Tony Bubrick rolled 530 to lead the Round-Up.

Dixon Hatchery picked up a game on the second place Round Up, although they lost two to Lloyds. Fred Miller was high for Lloyds with 522 and Clarence Paulsen led his Hatchery five with 493.

Reynolds Wire took two from Hey Bros. with Cy Winebrenner leading the Wiremill with 516 and Dean Hey rolling 414 to top the Ice Cream boys.

Frank Daschbach had the high series of the night with 570 and high games were Daschbach 203, Davis 226, Bubrick 205, Hoelscher 207, Winebrenner 201.

In the Ladies Afternoon league at the Recreation Thursday the league leading Cardinals added two games to their lead by taking three from the Yankees. Lorraine Joynt led the Cards with 464 and James was high for the Yankees with 353.

The second place Giants dropped two tilts to the Tigers with Krug rolling 415 to top the Giants and Kelly sparking the Tigers with 410.

Mucho Malo! Ni Dobri! Dunder und Blitzen! etc., Here we are in the Dog House for you guys to laugh at! By the greatest luck, however we managed to only get the low series, with Charlie Davis and Pope Vorhis, saving our hide with games of 137.

THE DOG HOUSE Ladies' League

L. Legore, low game	113
Herman, low series	415
City League	
O. Witzleb, low game	143
O. Witzleb, low series	449
GROP Women	
B. Kahly, low game	102
F. Lonergan, low series	348
Classic League	
R. Harridge, low game	133
R. Harridge, low series	452
Commercial League	
C. Davis, low game	137
L. Vorhis, low game	137
J. Shultz, low series	476
Major League	
Al Wolfe, low game	127
Al Wolfe, low series	460

In the Major league at the Lincoln Lanes last night, Warner Bros. picked up a game on the league leading Controllers by defeating them two out of three. C. Emmert was high for Warner's with 507, and Pahnke led Controllers with 491.

Militia, in third, kept pace with Warners by winning two from Lenox Transfer. Ed Holbrook led Militia with 523 and Kin was high for Lenox with 503.

Heckman's won three from Ordinance with Tiritilli rolling 554 to top Heckman's and Kobak leading Ordinance with 476.

Due to the weather, Hu-Duers and Rinky Dinks were unable to roll their game and it will be bowled in the near future.

Tiritilli had the high series of the night with 554 and Helfrich turned in the high game, 203.

Florida Open Two-Ball Meet in Quarter Finals

Orlando, Fla., Feb. 11.—(AP)—The Florida Open two-ball mixed golf tournament moved into the quarter finals today with most of the favorites still in the running. One of the day's top matches pitted Paul Derringer, Chicago Cubs pitcher, and his partner, Freda Nolan of Orlando, against Carl Dann of Orlando and Georgia Tainter of Fargo, N. D.

Derringer and his teammate advanced yesterday by defeating Lt. Jack Coughlin and Irene Price of Orlando, 4 and 3.

Another favored pair, Gerald Walker of the Cincinnati Reds and Jeanne Cline of Bloomington, Ill., today faced Herb Smith and Peg Kirk of Orlando. Walker and Cline disposed of Jim Bartley and Jackie Lewis of Orlando 4 and 3 in the opening round.

TRAFFIC FATALITY
Senatobia, Miss., Feb. 11.—(AP)—Pfc. Clifford W. Nelson of Dahlgren, Ill. was killed last night when his truck crashed through a bridge guard rail and plunged into a creek near here. He was stationed at the Newport, Ark., Army air base.

bles following the Commercial league last night, Elsie Shaulis and Dorothy Brewster won first with a total of 1048; M. Hoberg and V. Diebert took second with 1047. Williams and J. Petersen tied with E. Dempsey and M. Howard for third and fourth; and A. Miller and D. Duffy were fifth with 1026.

Phyllis Carson rolled the most actual pins with 516, and had the high game of the night with 200; Phyllis and Helen Klein in their first game turned in the high team game with 340. The scores follow:

E Shaulis	179	123	136	87	525
D Brewster	135	111	133	144	523
M Hoberg	151	140	163	93	547
V Diebert	120	121	115	144	500
Williams	111	104	124	195	534
J Petersen	135	124	116	200	495
E Dempsey	160	148	122	72	502
M Howard	156	169	130	72	527
L Rosbrook	109	108	145	87	449
M Woodyatt	81	148	125	72	426

M Geranson	86	101	122	114	423
C Geranson	110	136	108	132	486
S Wickley	132	124	100	111	467
R Barriage	163	145	144	63	515
L Paulsen	118	132	111	108	469
L Joynt	158	116	155	57	486
Hoelscher	134	97	134	108	473
D Hill	97	89	92	168	446
P Carson	200	159	150	24	540
H Klein	140	160	132	12	444

140	160	132	12	441	O
Tilton...	102	117	110	78	407
Miller ..	129	144	118	60	451
					858
Brainard.	148	136	144	69	497
Cook....	153	142	123	51	469
					966
Dockery.	128	131	118	108	485
Melvin...	101	102	112	84	399
					584
Horton...	95	109	103	84	391
Becker..	93	111	136	138	478

Investigation of Area Rent Control Compliance Soon

With a sweeping investigation of rent control compliance in the four-county Rockford area by regional checkers anticipated, John Joseph Ryan, Rent Director, urged landlords who have not yet registered their properties to do so immediately so that rent inflation can be stopped.

Stating that in a number of instances investigators making partial "on the spot" surveys have found tenants knowing about their right under the rent control law, he said such a check was anticipated in the Boone, Winnebago, Lee and DeKalb Defense-Rental Areas.

"We haven't had the number of inspectors needed to make a house-to-house canvass to discover how thoroughly the job of registration was done, once the deadline registration in these areas had passed," Ryan explained.

"We had estimates of the number of rental dwellings, and estimates of the number of rooms rented today that were never entered before," he added. Checking these figures against the thousands of registration statements received, the office found "good reason to believe that the areas had done their part of the job—and done it well."

But some landlords have not registered their properties and anything less than complete registration is unfair both to tenants and owners in these areas, Ryan added. "When properties aren't registered it's practically impossible to know to what extent rent ceilings are being held, he said.

Ryan said that every house or apartment tenant should have a copy of the landlord's registration statement and that hotels and rooming houses should have the rate posted in their rooms.

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bitterest war in its entire history. Not since Valley Forge has the nation been beset with such problems, with such a gigantic task for simple survival. In fact, as a writer on the world-scene points out, America is the only first-class power attempting to wage two wars at one and the same time... the war with Germany and the war with Japan. Toward this end, the armed forces of the country are at an all-time high. They will number ten and a half millions very shortly!

Our sons, brothers, fathers, and neighbors are among that vast group of warriors. Yes, and our sisters and daughters, too.

Backed by the greatest production of any industrial nation in the world, and the will to win, America will go forward to Victory. What is the outward symbol of that will to win? It is the Flag of the United States... thirteen alternate red and white stripes, with 48 white stars in a field of blue. Old Glory. Not the Army-Navy 'E' burgee, although America honors that flag, too, as a sign of superb production on the industrial front. Not the flags of our allies, although America honors them, too, as the banners of our comrades in arms. Not the Four Freedoms Flag, although America subscribes to these basic principles of Liberty.

No, the symbol of the will to win is none of these nor any combination of them. It is the Stars and Stripes, the official emblem of the United States. This is no mawkish sentiment. This is no maudlin plea. It is a statement of fact.

Valley Forge, Trenton, Yorktown, El Caney, San Juan Hill, Chateau Thierry, Belleau Wood, Salerno, Kiska, Guadalcanal. Names that flash across the screen of the mind to recall the barest few of the places where Old Glory waved in the breeze to cheer those who fought. A symbol of the will to win? Yes, the Flag of the United States is that.

And would you be surprised to learn that, in this year of all-out war, only one out of every seventeen American homes owns and displays the United States Flag?

Would you be dismayed to learn that, with Memorial Day coming up on May 30, Flag Day on June 14, and Independence Day on July 4, there will not be enough American Flags to go around? That is, unless each of us does something about it now.

Why won't there be enough United States Flags?

It's a matter of materials. It seems those materials are needed for women's aprons and dresses, and other articles made of cotton and other textiles used in the making of flags. Materials are needed for special flags, flags other than Old Glory, flags of foreign countries.

Have you ever seen a photo-

graph of a German city in which there were no massed swastikas, flying from every window, fluttering from every pole? Have you had any pictures of Tokio that did not show the rising sun spilling its circle of blood on a field of pure white? Would you deny that the flags of our enemies are symbols that fire their will to win?

What, then, would you think of a curtailment of production of United States Flags? We did not say a "stoppage"; we said a "curtailment". As an American, interested in a quick and sure winning of the war, interested in getting our boys back home in one piece, would you curtail the making and supplying of the United States Flag?

It is said, on good authority, that materials for making American Flags have been curtailed to the point where there isn't one flag for every citizen that would like to have one. On the cold, hard basis of inspiration alone... the will to win... do you think this is any time to cut down on materials for making American Flags?

If you do, then drop this article into the nearest waste-basket. But, if you don't (and you will be in the majority), it is urged that you raise your voice in protest, when you talk to people, when you write about Victory and the things we are fighting for. Only a massed public opinion, it is said, can free the flag; can unfurl it on high to catch the glint of the sun and remind us what it stands for; can put the emblem of freedom into the schools and on the platforms and on the houses and into the parades... places where it has always been, without restriction, without curtailment, without excuses.

If you believe this, as most Americans do, now is the time to rally round the flag. No one is attacking it in the land of its birth. No one said or implied that. But it is being neglected. That is the word: Neglected. Let's do something about it.

Let's fight for the flag, and the flag, in turn, will fight for us. It always has. It always will.

ROACHES, PROSPERITY OMEN
The lowly roach in the kitchen is not the object of contempt in China that it is in the United States. The Chinese believe it evidences prosperity and consider a family poor indeed if it cannot feed a few roaches.

JEFFERSON AS INVENTOR
The one-arm lunch chair used by restaurants, was invented by Thomas Jefferson, who also introduced waffles to the United States.

—Are you reading Westbrook Pegler? Always found on Pg. 4.

Bureau Co. Man on Advisory Board of Ill. Farm Institute

Champaign, Ill., Feb. 11.—(AP)—The Illinois Crop Improvement Association reelected all officers yesterday at the final session of the University of Illinois' Farm and Home Week. They are L. L. Lowe, Aroma Park, president; Roy Burrus, Arenzville, vice-president and Charles Shuman, Sullivan, secretary-treasurer.

The Illinois Farm Institute elected these members to its advisory board: Clarence Kleckner, Winnebago county; John Abbott, Bureau; Dale Provine, McDon-

ough; Fred Sanman, Mason; Mrs. Walter Boyle, Putnam; Mrs. Ray Kettering, Tazewell and Mrs. Ira Moats, Knox.

\$5000. PUZZLE FAN'S RECORD
Albert Luebke of Milwaukee, Wis., is a puzzle fan and has won \$5000 in various contests. He has earned the title of Wisconsin's most consistent and successful contest fan.

JEFFERSON SLEPT HERE
A bed in the middle of his study was used by Thomas Jefferson. The bed was hoisted out of sight into a niche in the ceiling during the daytime.

BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES



STEPHEN: NO! I ABSOLUTELY REFUSE TO LEAVE THIS ROOM TILL THOSE PEOPLE ARE OUT OF THE HOUSE

Worse and Worse



WONT HE COME AOUT, MAM? STAN BACK AN' AH'LL --

By Edgar Martin



HOLD ON--AH'LL PLUG UP TH' CHEEMNY AN' SMOKE 'IM AOUT FER YEW

By Fred Harman



MOVE OVER!

RED RYDER



MY WORD, RED RYDER IS SEARCHING EVERY ONE OF THOSE INDIAN TENTS!

Refusal



ME HOPE HIM FIND-UM YOUR SQUAW-GIRL!

Quick Change Artist!



I CAN'T FIND HER! CHIEF, MAKE PEARL-AN' TALK OR I'M GONNA--

By Merrill Blosser



YOU GREAT MEDICINE MAN -- YOU MAKE WHITE SQUAW VANISH-- NOW MAKE HER APPEAR

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS



THANKS FOR ASKING ME TO THE ALBUQUERQUE CLUB DANCE, FRECKLES. BUT I HAVE ANOTHER ENGAGEMENT!

A Complication?



WHY DON'T YOU ASK THAT NEW GIRL ACROSS THE STREET?

By Leslie Turner



IT WATH TWEEET OF YOU TO CALL, FRECKLETH! WHAT ITN ON YOUR MIND?

By V. T. Hamlin



ER--ER--MOM'S BAKING A CAKE, AND I'D LIKE TO BORROW FIVE POUNDS OF SALT!

WASH TUBBS



YES, CAPTAIN EASY MUST INFATUATE SELANGA! THRU HER WE MAY PERSUADE WEBAN TO RALLY HIS MANY FOLLOWERS FOR RESISTANCE AGAINST THE JAPS!

Let's Be Sociable!



MY WORD, MAJOR! THERE'S SELANGA NOW! WHO'S THE HANDSOME NATIVE CHAP WITH HER?

By Al Capp



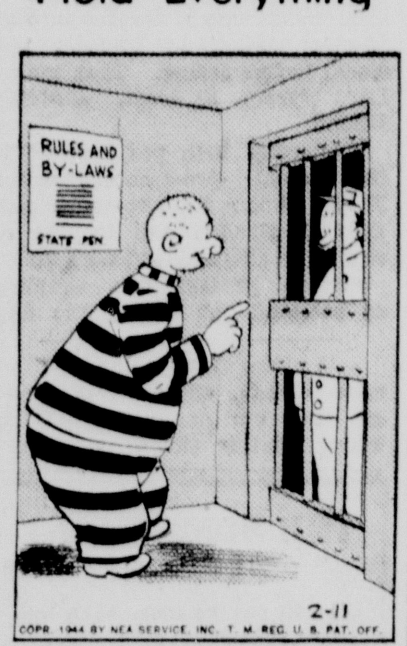
AH, COLONEL SAHIB! I KNOW HIM... GULWUGGA, A POWERFUL CHIEFTAIN!

By Raeburn Van Buren



I HOPE CAPTAIN EASY COURTS SELANGA AGGRESSIVELY! THIS GULWUGGA MAY BE A SERIOUS THREAT TO OUR PLAN!

Hold Everything



"Hey, guard, will you ask the warden about renegotiating my sentence?"

L'L ABNER



"GRANNY!-- SHUT TH' WINDOWS TIGHT!-- STUFF ALL TH' CRACKS! BIG BARNSMELL IS COMIN' HYAR T' COURT ME!"

No Choice



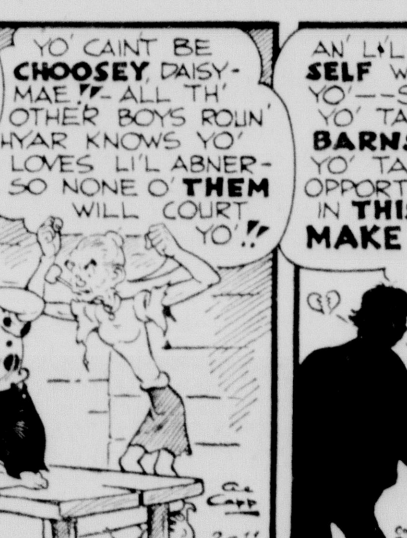
HE'S SOBBY! DONT ASSO-SHEE-ATE WIF NO BODY-- MAINLY ON ACCOUNT NOBODY'LL ASSO-SHEE-ATE WIF HIM!"

Time Out



THAR HAIN'T A FINER, STEADIER LEAD IN ALL THESE HILLS! FO' ONE THING, SHE DON'T ASSO-SHEE-ATE WIF NO BAD COMPANIONS--

By Al Capp



AN' SMALL WONDER, HE'S TH' INSIDE MAN AT TH' SKONK-WORKS!"

By Al Capp



YO CAINT BE CHOOSEY DAISY-- MAE T' ALL TH' OTHER BOYS ROIN' HYAR KNOWS YO' LOVES L'L ABNER-- SO NONE O' THEM WILL COURT YO'!"

ABIE an' SLATS



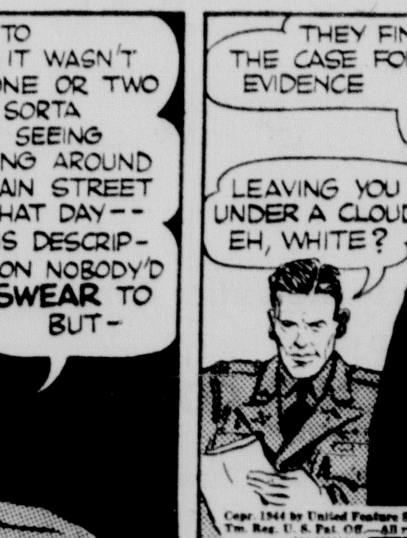
YOUR STORY WAS THAT A STRANGER HAD GIVEN A RIDE IN THAT STOLEN CAR-- THE VERY CAR YOU'D BEEN HEARD TO SAY YOU'D LIKE TO BORROW. DID THEY EVER CATCH THAT STRANGER, WHITE?

By Al Capp



NO, SIR. NO ONE EVER SAW HIM AGAIN

By Al Capp



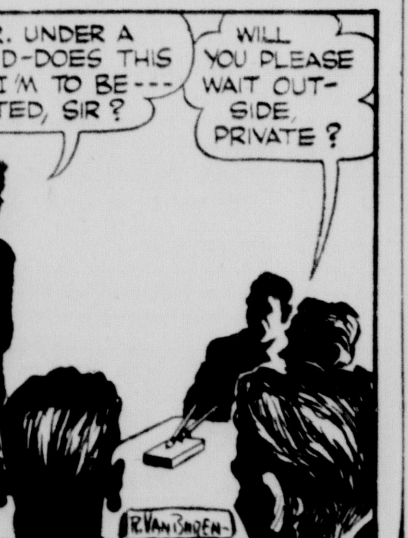
I--I WOULD'VE GONE TO JAIL, I GUESS, SIR-- IF IT WASN'T FOR THE FACT THAT ONE OR TWO PEOPLE IN OUR TOWN SORTA VAGUELY REMEMBERED SEEING A STRANGER LOITERING AROUND MAIN STREET THAT DAY--

By Al Capp



THEY FINALLY DISMISSED THE CASE FOR LACK OF EVIDENCE

By Al Capp



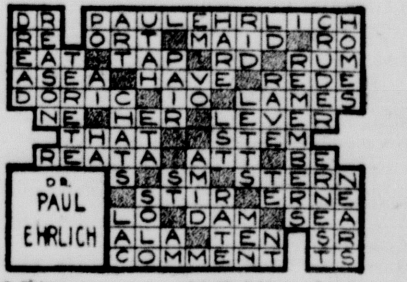
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Blue Front Frolic—WENR
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3:15 Stella Dallas—WMAQ

3:30 Lorenzo Jones—WMAQ
Beulah Karney—WENR

3:45 Young Widder Brown—WMAQ

4:00 Mystery Chief—WENR
When a Girl Marries—WMAQ

4:15 Portia Faces Life—WMAQ

4:30 Malcolm Claire—WENR
Just Plain Bill—WMAQ

4:45 Front Page Farrell—WMAQ
American Women—WBBM

5:00 Music at Five—WMAQ
Jim Allen—WENR

5:15 Piano Melodies—WCFL
Happy Jack Turner—WMAQ

5:30 Jack Armstrong—WENR

5:45 Captain Midnight—WENR
The World Today—WBBM
Superman—WGN

Evening

6:00 Sweet and Spanish—WMAQ
Dr. Preston Bradley—WGN

6:15 Late News of the World—WMAQ
Date Line—WBBM

6:30 Lone Ranger—WLS
Friday on Broadway—WBBM

Supper Music—WMAQ

6:45 H. V. Keiterborn—WMAQ

7:00 Frank Black's Orch.—WMAQ
Kate Smith Hour—WBBM

7:15 Believe It or Not—WGN

7:30 Meet Your Navy—WLS
Hit Parade—WMAQ

8:00 Playhouse WBBM
Waltz Time—WMAQ
Carnegie Hall—WGN
Novena—WCFL

Gang Busters—WENR

8:30 People Are Funny—WMAQ
That Brewster Boy—WBBM

Double or Nothing—WGN
Spotlight Band—WENR

9:00 Garry Moore; Jim Durante WBBM

Amos 'n' Andy—WMAQ

9:30 Wind Circle—WGN
Canteen—WBBM

Sports Newsreel—WMAQ

10:00 Victory Tune—WMAQ
I Love a Mystery—WBBM

10:15 So the Story Goes—WBBM

10:30 Eugene Reed—WBBM
Music Lovers—WCFL
Playtime—WMAQ

11:00 Globe Trotter—WENR
Moment Musical—WMAQ
Dance Orch.—WGN

11:30 Dance Orchestra—WGN
WENR, WBBM

12:00 Dance Orchestra—WGN

SATURDAY

12:45 Jamboree—WCFL
Vagabonds—WMAQ

1:00 Music for Fun—WMAQ
Metropolitan Opera—WLS
Roy Shields' Orch.—WMAQ

1:30 Concert Orch.—WGN

2:00 Sky High Show—WMAQ

2:30 Doctor at War—WMAQ
Serenade—WBBM

Here's to Youth—WMAQ

12:15 Waltz Time—WJJD
Pet Parade—WGN

12:30 Women in the War—WJJD

3:00 Rupert Hughes—WMAQ

3:30 Doctors at War—WMAQ
4:00 Tea and Crumpets—WMAQ

4:30 Peace—WMAQ
Mother and Dad—WBBM

5:00 Town Tattlers—WBBM

5:30 Nelson Serenade—WBBM
Radio Canaries—WGN
Curt Massey—WMAQ

5:45 Man Behind the Gun—WBBM

Evening

6:00 Capital Comment—WGN
Man Behind the Gun—WBBM

6:30 Elery Queen—WMAQ
Thanks to the Yanks—WBBM

7:00 Groucho Marx—WBBM
Abbie's Irish Rose—WMAQ

7:15 Good Will Hour—WGN

7:30 Truth or Consequence—WMAQ
One Night Stands—WGN
Inner Sanctum Mystery—WBBM

8:00 Hit Parade—WBBM
Chicago Theater of the Air—WGN

Hollywood Theater—WMAQ
Barn Dance—WLS

8:30 Can You Top This?—W



"BE KIND," "Be Courteous," "Do Not Push," "Respect Others," "Be Kind to Animals"—if you walk into Lincoln school in Dixon you will see these signs placed in conspicuous places in the building. They were not put there by the teachers and laughed at by the youngsters—they were made and put up by the eighth graders themselves. This is all a part of "politeness week" which has been an annual event with very few exceptions for many years in Lincoln school.

LAST year the teachers decided that they would not take time for the review of the rules of courtesy and they found that there was an increase in impoliteness among the pupils so this year the program was carried out again to the mutual satisfaction of youngsters and oldsters.

EACH teacher in the building has devoted an hour each day during this week to the discussion of the rules of common courtesy. On Monday they talked about politeness in school and in play. On Tuesday they discussed the attitude to strangers in the school and city and how one should behave in public audiences and on Wednesday they talked about the rules regarding elders and how to act within the home.

YESTERDAY they were concerned with kindness to others and to animals and today the whole thing has been summed up in talking of personality and good disposition. They decided that an attractive personality was evidenced by 1. Good carriage; 2. Gracefulness of bearing; 3. Charm of manner; 4. Pleasant voice; 5. Tact. (Take your mental pencil and check to see where you come on that personality list.)

IF YOU have a good disposition you must have a determination to 1. Look on the bright side; 2. Overlook trifles; 3. Control one's temper; 4. Overcome sensitiveness; 5. Be cheerful under defeat. And in these days when bravery counts so much in summing up people's accomplishments they decided that "cheerfulness is a kind of bravery."

THE rules they studied for politeness in public audiences might well be posted in every theatre and auditorium lobby. Here is the list—1. Enter quietly; 2. Apologize if you must pass in front of someone and thank those who rise to

let you by to a seat and always leave the end seats for late comers; 3. Standing, shuffling feet, whispering and giggling are evidence of a lack of good manners; 4. Do not show disrespect for the person speaking; 5. Do not leave before the program is over; 6. Do not push or crowd on the way out.

THEY also had a commendable list of things that should be done for older folks: 1. Rise when introduced to an elder; 2. Offer one's seat to elders in the home, in a car, etc.; 3. Assist elderly people across the streets, into cars, etc.; 4. In passing through doorways women and elderly people should precede boys and girls.

POLITENESS within the home probably caused more discussion than any other topic. These youngsters rather frankly and sometimes to the embarrassment of teachers told of incidents in their homes where as they expressed it they were "burned up" about the way some of the family acted!

THE success of the whole thing is shown not only by what the teachers and youngsters say about it, but by the actual courtesy with which one is treated when he goes to the building. If that experiment is a fair sample of what can be done, certainly the idea of a NATIONAL politeness week should reap remarkable results.

AND those of you (old or young) who are "burned up" about good manners in your own homes might try this discussion method—also try a few little reminders tacked up around here and there. Some of the others at Lincoln school are "Protect the Weak," "Be Pleasant," "Help Older People," "Do Not Gossip," "Be Clean," "Be Fair," and "Be Polite."

WITH all this snow on the ground those of you who live in town and have sidewalks to care for might tack up a little sign for yourself, "Clean the walk and save a broken bone."

Deferments for Farm Workers May Be Made Stricter in Future

Washington, Feb. 11—(AP)—Selective service officials and the house military committee are considering a tightening up of deferments for farm workers. That selective service believes the Tydings amendment—regulating farm deferments—may have "worked too well," was disclosed in testimony given by Col. Francis V. Kesselring, Jr., selective service liaison and legislative officer.

Expressing his views on legislation to broaden the regulations to include men engaged in timber or pulpwood logging operations, Kesselring told the committee yesterday:

"In some instances, the Tydings amendment may have worked too well and some tightening-up of occupational deferments granted under it might have to be made."

Keeling cautioned the committee against restricting the proposed additional coverage under the Tydings amendment without first determining whether other essential activities should be included.

He emphasized that the Tydings amendment does not confer blanket deferment upon farm workers, but requires a determination by local boards, subject to appeal, that the agricultural occupation or endeavor be essential to the war effort and that the registrant be irreplaceable.

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Town's Recreation	32	31	.508
Plow Boys	31	32	.492
Phillips 66	26	37	.413
Brewers	22	41	.349
Hot Shots	22	41	.349
Crow's Hybrid	16	47	.254

Team high, three games—Ridgerunners, 3099; Blue Stars, 3077.

Team high, single game—Blue Stars, 1197; Ridgerunners, 1100. Individual high three games, C. Carnahan, 718; C. Buchanan, 714. Individual high single game, D. Ambler, 292; A. Harper, 271.

New Addresses

Following are the newest addresses of our local service men. In parenthesis their birthdays are indicated. Let's keep those letters going to our men in the service!

Sergeant R. J. Russell (Feb. 9), Casual Co., M. B., Quantico, Va.
Private Arthur E. Hawbaker (Feb. 16), Base Ordnance Office, Dale Mabry Field, Tallahassee, Florida.

Sergeant Lester Poltsch (Feb. 19), A. S. N. 36002563, A. P. O. 5, care of postmaster, New York.

Sergeant Lynn R. Northcutt (Feb. 20), Platoon No. 4, Co. A, 593rd Sig. A. W. Bn., Camp Pindahl, Calif.

Sergeant John R. Marks (Feb. 23), A. S. N. 16067454, A. P. O. 635, care of postmaster, New York, N. Y.

Sergeant Merle E. Foster, 36344349, 438th T. C. Grp. 88th, T. C. Sqd., Baer Field, Ft. Wayne, Ind.

T/5 Milton McNeilly, A. P. O. 9473, care of postmaster, New York, N. Y.

Ensign Glenn L. Beemer, A. S. N. R., care of Fleet Post Office, San Francisco, Calif.

Corporal Charles M. Baker, RROV A. M., Rtn. Ord. Depot, Camp Maxey, Texas.

Ralph W. Collins, Y3/c, care of Fleet Post Office, San Francisco, Calif.

Private Curtis Martin, 36645-793, Co. D, 4th Bn., Prov. Trn. Grp., E. A. C., Camp Edwards, Massachusetts.

Pfc. Clyde F. Mason, Jr., U. S. M. C., care of Fleet Post Office, San Francisco, Calif.

Corporal David C. Roberts, 16099897, Co. B, 304th, Sig. Ogn. Bn., Fort Sam Houston, Texas.

Corporal T/5 Arthur Shaddick, Hdq. Co., 704 T. D. Bn., Camp Maxey, Texas.

News From Service Men

Word has been received from Lt. Wesley Coss, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Coss, who is in Italy with the Air Corps. He told how he went to North Africa on a former luxury liner and that next to flying, that was the best way to travel. The buildings in North Africa are built of stone and are quite modern, but are awfully dirty. He flew a few missions from there and reports that the missions aren't nearly as tough as one would believe and are for the most part pleasant and interesting. So far he has been to southern France, northern Italy, Greece, Bulgaria, Austria and Yugoslavia, and has about a quarter of his missions completed. He said that Italy doesn't differ much from North Africa, except that one is certainly impressed with the poverty there. The Germans stripped the country before retreating north and so, left nothing. The food is fair but they are expecting some good fresh vegetables in the spring. His plane is named "Stardust" and he and the crew are very proud of it. He reports that for the most part he enjoys his work and is glad to be right in the thick of it. His many friends will be glad to hear he is well and happy and are all looking for him home by early summer when he should have his 50 missions completed.

Birthday Party

Mrs. Wayne Rosenkrans entertained a group of young people at her home Monday afternoon for a birthday party in honor of Miss

Barbara Rosenkrans, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dale Rosenkrans. Various games were played after which the hostess served delicious refreshments of ice cream, cookies and candy hearts. Barbara then opened her many lovely gifts from those present, and she reports that this was one of her happiest birthdays. Those present for the celebration were: Nancy Buchanan, Terry Ambler, Carol Poltsch, Johnny Rosenkrans, Jim Linden, Lois Foster, Kenneth Carder, Patsy Manahan, Alan Kaiser, Judy Gump, Bruce Flancher, Janet Erlenbach, Albert Linden and the guest of honor, Barbara Rosenkrans, all of Paw Paw.

20th. Century Club

The members of the 20th Century club gathered at the home of Mrs. Maude Loyd Friday evening for their regular meeting. The regular business meeting was held with Miss Mary Jo Council giving an interesting book review on the new book "Burma Surgeon." Miss Ellen Grotfelty, the music teacher of the Paw Paw Community high school, sang several musical selections to complete the program. The hostess then served a dainty lunch to round out a pleasant evening for all. It was also announced that the next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Frank Wheeler and all are urged to attend.

Ladies Aid Society

The members of the Ladies Aid society met at the home of Mrs. Fred Grunderman Wednesday afternoon for their February meeting. The regular business meeting was held with Mrs. I. H. Breese, the vice president, in charge, in the absence of the president. Mrs. Breese had charge of the devotionals and the class reported clearing \$14 on the pie sale held at the church recently. During the social time the hostess served dainty refreshments of jello, cookies and coffee. Everyone reported a delightful afternoon and are urged to attend their next meeting.

G. G. G. Class

The members of the G. G. G. class of the Baptist church met at the church Wednesday afternoon for their monthly meeting. A delicious 1:00 o'clock scramble dinner was served with a large group in attendance. Mr. and Mrs. Owens were the guests of honor as they are moving to a new home soon. The members presented them with a lovely gift as a remembrance from the class. The usual business session was held with Mrs. R. L. Tarr having charge of the devotionals. A pleasant day was reported by all.

Birthday Club

Mrs. Tillie Weaver entertained the Birthday club at her home Thursday evening. A delicious 6:30 o'clock, two-course luncheon was served with Mrs. E. N. Gibbs as the guest of honor. The group then played auction bridge with two tables in play, and Mrs. Henry Ketsch won top honors and Mrs. Arthur Harper received the consolation prize. The club then presented the guest of honor with a lovely gift to round out a pleasant evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Shaddick called on Fred Shaddick at the Katherine Bethea Shaw hospital in Dixon Monday. Mr. Shaddick underwent a major operation there, and his many friends hope that he will improve soon and be back home.

Mr. and Mrs. George Eich and son Arthur were Sunday evening supper guests at the Peter Matheson home in Mendota.

The American Legion announces that an honor roll is to be erected on Main street in Paw Paw and will bear the names of all the men and women from this vicinity who have entered the military service. It is to be dedicated on Washington's birthday, February 22, with the ceremony being held in the Paw Paw high school auditorium. An outstanding speaker will be present to deliver the address. A detailed program will be announced as soon as completed.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Baird and son Charles, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Baird and family and Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Pike were Sunday dinner guests at the G. W. Wanger home in Newark.

Mrs. J. C. Goble and Mrs. Mervin Swenson attended the Farm and Home Week at Champaign a few days this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Schroeder and daughters Karen and Mary of Sublette enjoyed Sunday evening supper at the Charles Wright home.

Jack Fleming of Waco, Texas is spending a few days furlough at the home of his mother, Mrs. Jeannette Fleming.

Mrs. Junior Ketsch and daughter returned home Sunday from Harris hospital in Mendota.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Clemons and Mr. and Mrs. Claude Luce were Saturday evening shoppers in DeKalb.

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If you intend seeking assistance of your internal revenue office in making out your income tax return, government tax experts will be able to help you more effectively if you present them with the information called for in the above form. Clip and fill in this questionnaire and take it, together with government forms mentioned in (1) and (2), to your local income tax bureau.

TODAY on the HOME FRONT

by JAMES MARLOW and GEORGE ZIELKE

(Editor's Note: This is the second of two stories explaining the senate's postwar planning committee's program for getting American industry back on its feet in a hurry after the war to prevent financial distress and unemployment.)

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There have been plenty of ideas and talk, and some action.

Now the senate's postwar planning committee offers a program without any comment on the fact that War Mobilization Director Byrnes has the government's veteran trouble-shooter, Bernard M. Baruch, working on a program.

Baruch reportedly favors having the War Production Board handle industrial demobilization. But the senate committee suggests a law creating an independent Office of Demobilization.

This office would be supreme on reconversion problems after the war, although remaining subordinate to Byrnes till war's end, and would have a director appointed by the president with senate approval.

To help him, the director would set up a board with which a congressional committee of three senators and three representatives would consult on broad policies.

Already there has been this criticism of the senate committee's idea: "Creation of a demobilization office means one more federal agency on top of all the others. Since manpower is short, where would it recruit its staff

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